

Strategic Grant Services Program Tracker

September 2014-Present

Strategic Initiative: Economic Development		
Issue/Project/Grant	Summary	Status
Affordable Housing and Sustainable Communities Grant Program	Sent a summary of the grant program to the Economic Development Department. Attended the State workshop.	Reviewed by the Department, no projects appropriate or competitive for the opportunity.
U.S. Department of Agriculture Beginning Farmer and Rancher Development Program	Sent a summary of the grant program to the IGLA office for the appropriate County Departments.	Reviewed by the Department, no projects appropriate or competitive for the opportunity.
U.S. Department of Agriculture Farmers Market Promotion Program	Sent a summary of the grant program to the Health Department. Met with the Health Department to discuss potential projects.	Reviewed by the Department, no projects appropriate or competitive for the opportunity.
Strategic Initiative: Administration		
Acquiring Grants	Grants are offsetting project costs which would normally be absorbed by the County and WRA, providing savings to the County budget	Continue to facilitate and apply for grants for critical County priorities
Facilitating Applications for Formula/Earmarked Funds	Preventing the loss of funds dedicated to the County.	Tracking formula and earmarked funds, facilitating acquisition of funds
Strategic Initiative: Health and Human Services		
CA California Youth Soccer and Recreation Development Program. CA Department of Parks and Recreation.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Sent solicitation and workshop information to Parks ● Parks compared fund goals to needs ● Parks determined they would not be competitive 	Parks would not be competitive for this opportunity which is more appropriate for urban high density city parks.
Federal Lands Access Program. Federal Highway Administration.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Project: Connecting East Garrison with Fort Ord ● Submitted an application for \$988,000 ● Infrastructure and trail construction 	The County was not selected for funding in 2015. Exploring reapplying in 2016.
Moss Landing Trail	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Nossaman Facilitated meetings RE:project funding ● Coordinated RMA and Public Works ● Researched several funding sources for project ● Best fund identified: Active Transportation Program 	Working with Public Works on application for 2016.
Community Connect Grant Program	Sent a summary to the appropriate County Departments.	No projects appropriate or competitive.

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Emergency Housing and Assistance Program Capital Development Component (EHAP-CD) Conversion. CA HCD.	Sent a summary with the solicitation information to Economic Development.	Reviewed by Department, however no projects fit within the opportunity.
Safe Places to Play Grant. U.S. Soccer Foundation.	Sent the Parks Department a summary with the solicitation information.	Reviewed by Department, however no projects fit within the opportunity.
Services in Supportive Housing, Grants for the Benefit of Homeless Individuals, and runaway and Homeless Youth. U.S. Health & Human Services.	Sent summary with the solicitation information to CAO's office.	No projects were appropriate or competitive for the opportunity.
Continuum of Care Program. US HUD.	Sent the County Administrative Officer a summary with the solicitation information.	No projects appropriate or competitive for the opportunity.
Veterans Housing and Homelessness Prevention Program. CA HCD.	Met with the County regarding the program. Sent the County a summary with the solicitation information. Attended the State workshop.	Reviewed by Department, however no projects fit within the opportunity.
Strategic Initiative: Infrastructure		
Quagga Zebra Mussel Prevention Program. Dept of Water Resources, Division of Boating & Waterways.	Wrote application to fund Quagga Zebra Mussel Prevention at Lakes Nacimiento and San Antonio.	Awarded \$199,992 in December 2014.
Sustainable Groundwater Planning Grant. Department of Water Resources (DWR) Proposition 1.	Prepared an application in cooperation with RMA and WRA to fund the Salinas Valley Groundwater Basin Assessment and Modeling project.	Awarded \$250,000 in April 2016.
Cal OES Pre-Disaster and Flood Mitigation (PDFM) Grant. CalOES.	Participated on a conference call with staff at OES about RMA and WRA applications. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • WRA and RMA submitted a Notices of Intent to apply • WRA determined potential projects ineligible • RMA submitted app for Carmel River Flood Mitigation 	RMA submitted application in April 2016. Awaiting award announcements.
Flood Mitigation Assistance (FMA) Grant. CalOES.	Coordinated between funder and RMA to identify the Carmel Lagoon project as highly competitive for this <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RMA submitted app for Carmel River Flood Mitigation • WRA will explore application in the future 	RMA submitted application in April 2016. Awaiting award announcements.

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Flood Emergency Response Grant Program. CA Department of Water Resources.	Sent RMA a summary with the solicitation information.	Reviewed by RMA, however no projects fit within the opportunity.
Housing Related Parks Program. CA HCD.	Sent Economic Development a summary with the solicitation information.	Not enough affordable housing units to qualify. County expected to qualify in future rounds.
Local Levee Assistance Program. CA Department of Water Resources.	Coordinated a meeting with RMA and the State regarding the Carmel River Floodplain Restoration and Environmental Enhancement Project. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Worked on application components • Summarized the grant application for the County • Attended the grant workshop for the County 	Application was not submitted due to construction costs increasing significantly.
Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Grants. CA State Parks.	Sent the Parks Department a summary with the solicitation information.	Reviewed by the Department, however no projects fit within the opportunity.
Proposition 1 Water Recycling Program. State Water Resources Control Board.	Sent the WRA a summary with the solicitation information.	Reviewed by the Department, however no projects fit within the opportunity.
Proposition 1 Wildlife Conservation Board Grant Program.	Vetted the program for County projects. Sent a summary to the County. Set up a call with RMA and the Agency regarding potential projects.	RMA will apply in 2016.
Sustainable Agricultural Lands Conservation. CA Department of Conservation.	Sent the County a summary with the solicitation information.	Reviewed by RMA, however no projects were appropriate or competitive for the opportunity.
Coastal Program Grant. U.S. Department of Interior.	Sent the RMA a summary with the solicitation information.	Reviewed by RMA, however no projects were appropriate or competitive for the opportunity.
Partners for Fish and Wildlife Program. U.S. Department of Interior.	Sent the RMA a summary with the solicitation information.	Reviewed by RMA, however no projects were appropriate or competitive for the opportunity.

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Coastal Ecosystem Resiliency Grant. National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration's (NOAA).	Worked with RMA to submit an application for \$4 Million for the Carmel River Floodplain Restoration and Environmental Enhancement Project.	County was not selected for funding in 2015.
Proposition 1 Ocean Protection Council	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vetted the program for County projects • Sent a summary to the County • Set up a project discussion between RMA and grantor 	Will apply in 2016.
Proposition 1 Coastal Conservancy Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vetted the program for County projects • Sent a summary of fund criteria to the County • Set up a project discussion between RMA and grantor 	Will likely apply in 2016.
Proposition 1 Storm Water Grant Program	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vetted the program for County projects • Sent a summary of fund criteria to the County 	Reviewed by the Department, however no projects fit within the opportunity.
Proposition 1 California Stream Flow Enhancement Program	Held several conference calls with RMA and the Big Sur Land Trust regarding a potential application. Sent summary to the County.	CEQA was not ready in time for the application due date of September 2015. Nossaman will be assisting with developing application in 2016.
Active Transportation Program. CA Transportation Commission (CTC).	<p>Worked with the Health Department and Public Works to review and suggest edits to three Active Transportation Program applications for funding.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • \$5.9M Public Works - Moss Landing Scenic Trail • \$1.3M Public Works - Las Lomas Drive improvements • \$1,369,559 Health Department – Via Salinas Valley Pathways to Health through Active Transportation 	County was not selected for funding in 2015.
Proposition 1 Integrated Regional Water Management Program (IRWMP)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vetted the program for County projects • Attended grant workshops, reported back to County • Sent a summary of fund criteria to the County 	WRA monitoring program for funding opportunities.
Proposition 1 Department of Fish and Wildlife Program	Vetted the program for County projects. Sent a summary to the County. Set up a call with RMA and the Agency regarding potential projects.	Will likely apply in 2016.
Regional Conservation Partnership Program. USDA.	Prior to Nossaman joining the County's team in pursuing grant funding, the WRA submitted an application for the Interlake Tunnel Project, however the application was not funded. Nossaman coordinated a meeting with the USDA to gather feedback on potentially reapplying.	Nossaman and WRA determined the project would not be competitive in this program.

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Regional Coastal Resilience Grants Program. National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration's (NOAA).	Worked with Water Resources Agency to review and suggested edits to the application for the Salinas River Lagoon (SRL) planning.	County was not selected for funding, however are on hold for potential funding in FY 2016.
Water Energy Grant Program. CA Department of Water Resources.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vetted the program for County projects • Sent a summary of grant criteria to the County • Watching for 2016 solicitation 	County is vetting potential projects internally for 2016 solicitation.
Drinking Water State Revolving Fund. CA EPA State Water Resources Control Board.	Provided summary of programs to RMA for potentially funding San Lucas Pipeline project.	RMA currently has funding from this grant. Will investigate applying again for funding of future phases of the project.
State Common Funding Inquiry. California Financing Coordinating Committee.	Facilitated State Common Funding Inquiry application for the San Lucas Pipeline project.	Awaiting to hear back from potential funders.
Strategic Initiative: Public Safety		
Justice Assistance Grant (JAG). Board of State and Community Corrections.	Submitted an application for \$2.1 Million that would assist the Sherriff's Department, District Attorney's Office, and the Probation Department with hiring new positions focused on prevention, education, and law enforcement related truancy, gang related crimes, and substance abuse.	The County was not selected for funding in 2015. Exploring revision and reapplication in 2016.
COPS Anti-Gang Initiative Program. USDOJ.	Nossaman worked with the Sheriff's Department to prepare an application for funding for \$750,000 to fund positions focused on anti-gang initiatives. The Sheriff's Department could not reach an agreement with various members of PRVNT on who would be the lead. As a result, the Sheriff's Department reluctantly decided not to go forward with the grant application because they were unable to fulfill the requirement of being the lead agency.	Application was not submitted, will likely submit in 2016.
California Statewide Groundwater Elevation Monitoring (CASGEM) Compliance for water bond fund eligibility	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CA water bond funding requires CASGEM compliance • County was not compliant, was ineligible • Held meetings with Assembly member Alejo on issue • Nossaman facilitated bringing WRA into compliance 	In the March 2015, after months of work on this issue, the County gained compliance.

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Pay for Success Program	Worked with the County to vet this program as a potential opportunity. Attended several meetings with the County, and the Statewide Bidders Conference.	Timeline was too short for pre-application analysis required.
Second Chance Act Strengthening Relationships Between Young Fathers, Young Mothers, and Their Children. OJJDP.	Sent the Sheriff and Probation Department a summary with the solicitation information.	Reviewed by the Department, however no projects fit within the opportunity.
SB 863 Financing Program. Board of State and Community Corrections.	Nossaman participated in an initial call with the County regarding the application and coordinated a conference call with BSCC staff overseeing the Monterey County region, however did not work on the application itself.	The County was not selected for funding in 2015.
U.S. Department of Justice Byrne Criminal Justice Innovation (BCJI) program	Sent the Sheriff and Probation Department a summary with the solicitation information.	Reviewed by the Department, however no projects fit within the opportunity.
MacArthur Foundation Grant	Thoroughly reviewed the guidelines and set up a conference call with County staff to discuss the details of the program.	Reviewed by the Department, however no projects fit within the opportunity.
Local Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG) Program	Contacted the California Governor's Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES) to explore potential use of this fund	Determined this fund was already in use by County OES to fund core operations
Strengthening Law Enforcement and Community Relations Grant.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Reviewed application guidance. ● Identified program potential to fund law enforcement. 	Will solicit departments for application in 2017.
Adult Drug Court Discretionary Grant Program. US Department of Justice.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Project: Improvement of Veteran's Treatment Court ● Coordinated meetings between DA, Probation, and the Courts to evaluate the grant opportunity. 	Project determined ineligible this year, but will be eligible next year. Will reevaluate then.