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AGENDA ITEM 4b

TAC Meeting February 6, 2025

DATE: January 28, 2025

TO: HCAOG Board of Directors

FROM: Debbie Egger, Interim Executive Director

SUBJECT: Rio Dell Local Match Contingency Fund Request

STAFF REPORT

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Staff's Recommended Action:

Motion to be approved by consent:

"I move that the TAC recommends that the HCAOG Board authorize funding for the Rio Dell Traffic/Circulation Study in the amount of \$7,250"

Staff Summary:

The City of Rio Dell has requested funding in the amount of \$7,250 for a traffic/circulation study. The purpose of the study is to evaluate potential solutions to improve emergency vehicle access within the Avenues neighborhood, specifically on First and Second Avenues.

The traffic study will collect data to better understand the limitations of current traffic patterns and determine methods to enhance traffic circulation and multi-modal safety within the project area. Traffic volume data, collision history, road geometry, parking occupancy, and site observations will be the basis for recommendations to achieve adequate traffic circulation.

HCAOG has maintained a small local match contingency fund that can be requested by jurisdictions on as needed basis to cover costs related to special studies, engineering plans, or other similar needs. There is currently \$12,600 in this fund. If the Rio Dell request is fulfilled there will be \$5,350 remaining for future projects.