



Agenda Item: 13.E
Date of Meeting: November 25, 2024
Department: Public Works

STAFF REPORT

To: City Council
From: Nora Gamino
Subject: **Electrical Facilities Cost Sharing Agreement with Caltrans**
Prepared On: November 13, 2024
Attachments: TR-09-5-103 City of Bishop ECSA street lighting

Background/History:

The Caltrans District 9 Bishop Pavement Project includes the construction of a multi-use path from See Vee Lane to Wye Road on the south side of the North Sierra Highway (US 395).

During early design development between the City and Caltrans, it was determined that pedestrian scale lighting will be installed along this section of path. The final design includes 42 decorative luminaries, similar to the lights installed on Warren Street.

Analysis/Discussion:

The proposed Electrical Facilities Cost Sharing Agreement between Caltrans and the City formalizes the discussions and decisions that happened early in the development of the Bishop Pavement Project.

Caltrans will provide the full capital cost for the purchase and installation of the pedestrian scale lighting. Caltrans will provide all maintenance costs and if a light pole is damaged from an errant vehicle, vandalism, act of God, normal wear and tear, or system failure the light pole will be replaced.

The City of Bishop will be responsible for electricity cost.

Economic Impacts:

There are no significant economic impacts.

Budget Impacts:

None this fiscal year. In future years, the additional cost of electricity for these lights (estimated at \$550/month) will be included in the streets utilities budget.

Legal Review:

City Attorney Pucci has reviewed this item and finds that the recommended action complies with the law.

Recommended Action:

Council consideration to approve the Electrical Facilities Cost Sharing Agreement with Caltrans, District 9.

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