

City of Colusa California

STAFF REPORT

DATE: October 7, 2025

TO: Mayor and City Council

FROM: Jesse Cain, City Manager via Sadie Ash, Grant Writer

Agenda Item: Authorizing Submittal of an Individual Grant Application for Rubberized Pavement Grant Program TRP18

Recommendation: Staff recommends the City Council adopt a resolution authorizing the submittal of an application to the California Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) for the Rubberized Pavement Grant Program in the amount of approximately \$102,000, and authorizing the City Manager, or designee, to execute all related grant documents.

Background: CalRecycle administers the Rubberized Pavement Grant Program to promote markets for recycled waste tires by providing financial assistance to local governments for the use of rubberized asphalt concrete (RAC) in road projects. The program helps offset the higher upfront costs of rubberized pavement while reducing environmental waste.

The City of Colusa is currently preparing Phase 3 of its road rehabilitation project, which will be presented to the City Council in December 2025 for approval of final plans and budget. As part of this project, staff has identified eligible pavement sections where rubberized asphalt may be applied.

The City is requesting approximately \$102,000 in grant funds to cover a portion of the costs for this work. The award of these funds will reduce the City's direct costs and support the incorporation of sustainable materials into public infrastructure.

This application requires a Council resolution authorizing staff to apply, and if awarded, to execute all necessary documents with CalRecycle.

BUDGET IMPACT: If awarded, the City will receive approximately \$102,000 to offset costs associated with rubberized pavement in the Phase 3 road project. This reduces the amount of local funds required for the project. The City will be responsible for all remaining costs.

ATTACHMENTS

1. Resolution 25-