



STAFF REPORT
Board Meeting of February 23, 2022

AGENDA ITEM: 7-C

PREPARED BY: Patricia Taylor, Executive Director

SUBJECT:

University-Agency Agreement for Experiential Education, California State University, Fresno

Enclosure: Yes

Action: Authorize execution of the University-Agency Agreement for Experiential Education, California State University, Fresno

SUMMARY:

Included in your package is an agreement between California State University, Fresno (CSUF), and the Madera County Transportation Commission (MCTC). The agreement is a five-year agreement to allow for the MCTC to provide an internship to a CSUF student, studying in a field related to regional transportation planning. The Geography Department at CSUF, offers a degree in City and Regional Planning. The Geography and City and Regional Planning Department is a student-centered department that prides in the quality of its programs and the commitments of its faculty to education excellence. The programs are designed to train students, so they are equipped with theoretical knowledge and practical experience needed to be competitive in the global market and have a successful career as an urban and regional planner, GIS analyst, data and mapping consultant, information specialist, environmental consultant state/local public health/social services administrator, diplomat, teacher, and economic researcher.

MCTC is excited to offer a non-paid internship to a CSUF student to assist in the educational opportunities available through practical application and experience at MCTC. This is a five-year agreement, unless terminated by either party.

FISCAL IMPACT:

No fiscal impact to the approved 2021-22 Overall Work Program and Budget.