



STAFF REPORT
Board Meeting of March 17, 2021

AGENDA ITEM: 4-B

PREPARED BY: Sandy Ebersole, Administrative Analyst

SUBJECT:

Low Carbon Transportation Operations Program (LCTOP) List of Projects FY 2020-21

Enclosure: Yes

Action: Approve Resolution 21-03

SUMMARY:

The Low Carbon Transportation Operations Program (LCTOP) is one of several programs that are part of the Transit, Affordable Housing, and Sustainable Communities Program established by the California Legislature in 2014 by Senate Bill 862. The LCTOP was created as a statewide program to provide operating and capital assistance for transit agencies to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and improve mobility, with a priority on serving disadvantaged communities. This program is funded by auction proceeds from the California Air Resource Board's Cap-and-Trade Program established by Assembly Bill 32 with proceeds deposited into the Greenhouse Gas Reduction Fund.

The Madera County Transportation Commission is a designated recipient of Low Carbon Transit Operations Program funds for the Madera region. Funds allocated for the FY 2020/21 Low Carbon Transit Operations Program total \$168,166. Allocation of these funds is based on the State Controller's distribution formula for State Transit Assistance (STA) funds, per Sections 99313 and 99314 of the California Public Utilities Code. Matching funds are not required for this program. The following projects will be submitted:

City of Chowchilla

Purchase One Dial-A-Ride Bus

\$17,696

City of Madera

Purchase One Madera Metro Paratransit Vehicle

\$68,516

County of Madera

Purchase Four MCC Paratransit Buses

\$81,954

FISCAL IMPACT:

No fiscal impact to the approved 2020-21 Overall Work Program and Budget.