

## AGENDA REPORT SURA Meeting

TODAY'S DATE: July 30, 2025

**MEETING DATE:** August 5, 2025

TO: Sandpoint Urban Renewal Agency

**FROM:** Erik Bush, Project Manager

SUBJECT: Downtown Parking Lot Project – Security Camera Request

## **DESCRIPTION/BACKGROUND:**

The purpose of this item is to request funding support from the Sandpoint Urban Renewal Agency to install a security camera system in the recently rehabilitated Downtown Parking Lot at 218 Church Street.

With the repaving project now complete, the lot has improved safety and accessibility providing over 120 parking spaces, updated lighting, stormwater treatment, and ADA accommodations. To further protect this public investment and improve the safety of residents, visitors, and downtown employees, installing a modern security camera system is the next critical step.

The intent in installing cameras is to:

- Improve Public Safety: Provide a visible deterrent to theft, vandalism, and other unwanted activity.
- Support Downtown Businesses: Encourage patronage by making customers feel safer using downtown parking.
- Help Law Enforcement: Supply video footage to aid in investigations.
- Protect Public Investment: Help safeguard the resources already invested in rehabilitating this
  parking facility.

The scope of work would include:

- Three security cameras and installation by Ednetics (see Quote and Map attached), approximately \$23,000
- Internet/network connectivity (fiber or wireless) and installation, approximately \$14,000

The total request for the camera installation is \$37,000.

We appreciate SURA's commitment to revitalizing downtown infrastructure and respectfully request consideration of this funding request to ensure long-term safety and protection of this key public asset.