



City Council Meeting Staff Report

Meeting Date: October 28, 2025

Subject: Consideration and Adoption of Resolution Authorizing Execution of a Grant Agreement with Yuba Water Agency for Development of a Stormwater Master Plan

Prepared By: Bill Zenoni, City Manager

Recommendation: Staff recommends that the Wheatland City Council consider adoption of a resolution authorizing the City Manager to execute a grant agreement with Yuba Water Agency for development of a Stormwater Master Plan.

Discussion: The Yuba Water Agency Board of Directors, on September 16, 2025, approved a grant to the City of Wheatland in an amount up to \$650,000 for development of a city-wide Stormwater Master Plan. This project has been discussed for years but has been placed on hold due to a lack of funding. The Stormwater Master Plan will study regional hydrology, stormwater runoff and evaluate the adequacy of existing infrastructure for conveying stormwater flows within the city limits. The Stormwater Master Plan will result in development of a list of potential projects to improve flood protection and reduce peak runoff flows. The Stormwater Master Plan will provide the basis for recommended actions on the City's flood management policy, land use planning and new development design standards. The grant period runs from January 1, 2026 to December 31, 2027. A Request for Proposals for development of a Stormwater Master Plan will be issued during the first quarter of 2026. A firm will be selected to complete this project, with an agreement to be presented to the City Council for approval.

Fiscal Impact: The grant from Yuba Water Agency will provide up to \$650,000 for preparation of a Stormwater Master Plan.

Attachments:

1. Resolution
2. Grant Agreement