



NYE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS AGENDA ITEM REQUEST FORM

Department: Finance	Meeting Date:
Category: Timed Agenda Item - 10:00 a.m.	August 1, 2023
Prepared by: Stephani Elliott	Phone: (775) 751-6355
Presented by: Eric Whalen with Pahrump Valley Public Transportation, Inc.	Phone: (775) 751-6860
Action requested: (Include what, with whom, when, where, why, and terms)	
Presentation by Eric Whalen with Pahrump Valley Public Transportation, regarding program status, outcome results, a budget status report and future goals pursuant to the Nye County ARPA Recovery Plan and Policy: Public Health Assistance-Mental Health.	
Complete description of requested action: (Include, if applicable, background, impact, long-term commitment, existing county policy, future goals, obtained by competitive bid, accountability measures)	
Pursuant to the Nye County ARPA Recovery Plan and Policy each sub-grantee with approved programs shall come before the Board of Nye County Commissioners to present program status, outcome results, a budget status report and future goals.	
On March 21, 2023 the BoCC approved Pahrump Valley Public Transportation's request for \$60,700.00 to support the Youth Transportation Services Program.	
Recommendation:	

Financial Impact

Cost:	Fund Name:	Fund #:
Budgeted: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> N/A	FY:	<input type="checkbox"/> One-Time <input type="checkbox"/> Recurring
Comments:		

Review & Approval

Legal Review Required: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Legal Approval Received: <input type="checkbox"/>	Date:
Financial Review Required: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	Submitted to Finance: <input type="checkbox"/>	Date:
Administrative Manager Review: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Place on Agenda: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Initials: ST

Item # 8

**NYE County
 ARPA Recovery Plan
 Public Assistance
 Programmatic Report**

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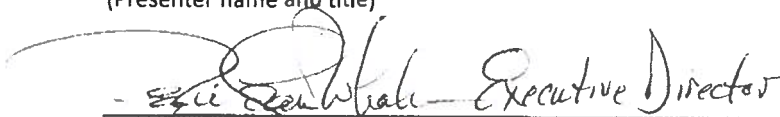
Grant Period: 03/27/2023-03/26/2024	
Program Name:	ARPA Public Assistance
Grant Applicant #:	PAAO - 0007
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Eric Whalen, Executive Director

 (Presenter name and title)

7/6/2023

 Date



 (Authorized Signer) and title

7/6/23

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1.) What did you accomplish during this reporting period and how did these accomplishments help you reach your stated project goal(s) and objective(s). Please note any significant project partners and their role in project activities.

PVPT has successfully created a Beatty to Pahrump route. Ridership continues to grow as the program develops. PVPT staff met with Amargosa at their town meeting to introduce our program but have yet to receive any ridership from that location. PVPT met with the principals from both RCMS and PVHS. Both were excited about our after school program for the upcoming year and are eager to help with student registrations for the program.

2.) What, if any, challenges did you face during this reporting period and what actions did you take to address these challenges? Please note in your response; changes, if any, to your project goal(s), objective(s), or activities that were made as a result of challenges faced.

Our primary challenge in starting these programs was dissemination of materials regarding the programs such as scheduling, availability etc. Word has started to get out to the public and PVPT is expecting significant growth in the upcoming year.

3.) How have the activities conducted during this project period helped you to achieve the measurable outcomes identified in your project proposal?

PVPT continues to advertise and promote these programs. PVPT will be meeting with members of Amargosa again in an attempt to increase the ridership for that community. Beatty transportation in particular has been a complete success with many residents utilizing our services. There is currently no data regarding the afterschool program until the school session begins but we are expecting a positive response based upon the meetings that were held with them.

4.) What was produced during the reporting period and how have these products been disseminated? Products may include articles, issue briefs, fact sheets, newsletters, survey instruments, sponsored conferences and workshops, websites, audiovisuals, and other informational resources.

PVPT has met with RCMS and PVHS as well as Amargosa town board, Beatty town board. Articles have been run in the Pahrump Valley Times and on local television promoting our newly created routes and services.

1.) What measurable outcomes did you establish for this project and what indicators did you use to measure performance? To what extent did your project achieve these outcomes?

PVPT had high expectations for ridership with both Beatty and Amargosa. Since the new school year has not started yet, PVPT has no data to share for the afterschool programs. PVPT is very pleased with the Beatty performance numbers, ridership and overall interest from the community. PVPT will continue to advertise our services for Amargosa. Overall, PVPT has met or exceeded our expectations.

2.) What, if any, challenges did you face during the project and what actions did you take to address these challenges?

Our primary obstacle has been dissemination of the newly created routes and services. Local newspaper and TV spots have helped to overcome these barriers.

3.) What impact do you think this project has had to date? What are the lessons you learned from undertaking this project?

PVPT feels that these newly created services are a definite benefit to those utilizing our services. Transportation to our outlying Nye Co communities is key to the overall quality of life for these individuals.

4.) What will happen to the project after this grant has ended? Will project activities be sustained? Will project activities be replicated? If the project will be sustained or replicated, what other funding sources will allow this to occur? Please note your significant partners in this project and if/how you will continue to work on this activity?

PVPT is looking into several options for the continuation of the programs, such as NDOT, local resources and fund raisers to ensure the future of all programs. PVPT will be meeting with several community partners (Nye Communities Coalition, Nye Co offices.

ARPA

Approved Public Assistance Projects as of 7/6/2023

Pahrump Valley Public Transportation, Inc.

<u>Category</u>	<u>Project</u>	<u>Date Awarded</u>	<u>Awarded Funding</u>	<u>Remaining Balance</u>
Public Health: Mental Health	Pahrump Valley Public Transportation - Youth Transportation Services	Mar 21, 2023	60,700	60,700