AB 2766 Subvention Fund

Grant Proposals 7/1/12 - 12/31/13

Background

- 1/10/12, AQMD staff requested Board provide grant program policy direction.
 Board discussed options and preferences.
- 1/31/12, Staff summarized Board's direction. Board directed staff to incorporate direction into RFP.
- 2/3/12, RFP released
- \$525k available for 7/1/12 12/31/13

Proposals

- 10 proposals received from 9 entities
- Requested amounts range from \$25,000 \$207,000
- Total of eligible requested expenditures: \$718,212
- 4 Shuttle projects
- 2 Biomass projects
- 2 New technology projects
- 2 Paving projects (1 sidewalk, 1 roadway)

Evaluation

 Air District Engineers calculated cost effectiveness.

 Staff deleted ineligible expenditures from project budgets.

Proposals ranked via Board approved criteria.

Project Name	Eligible Funding Request	Match %	Cost Effectiveness (\$/lb)	Evaluation Points				Total of Top
				Cost Effectiveness (max 90 pts)	Preferred Project (max 10 pts)	Total	Rank	Ranked Funding Requests
Apple Hill Shuttle - EDCTA	\$106,738	20%	\$98.08	50	10	60	1	\$106,738
River Shuttle - River Store Inc.	\$136,805	20%	\$85.75	50	10	60	2	\$136,805
Thompson Way Sidewalk - City of Placerville	\$30,000	20%	\$81.34	50	0	50	3	\$30,000
Bayne Road Chip Seal- EDC DOT	\$206,999	23%	\$106.81	50	0	50	4	\$206,999
American River Music Festival Shuttle	\$5,200	20%	\$252.20	30	10	40	5	\$5,200
County Fair Shuttle - EDCTA	\$24,539	20%	\$381.42	30	10	40	6	\$24,539
Biomass Transport - Meeks Bay Fire	\$43,588	23%	\$272.93	30	10	40	7	
Biomass Transport - ED Fire Safe Council	\$106,250	51%	\$525.61	20	10	30	8	
Video Conference - EDC Grand Jury	\$26,093	7%	\$31.14	70	10	80	9	
Diesel Engine Vapor Injection - Clean Energy Technologies	\$32,000	20%	\$0.00			0	10	
Total	\$718,212					\$510,281		
Available Funding	\$525,000			Remaining:				\$14,719
Request Overage	\$193,212	Available to Fund:						6 projects

Staff Recommendation

Board direct AQMD staff to:

Award top 6 ranked proposals: Total \$510,281

Alternative #1

Waive 20% match requirement for Grand Jury Video Conference.

Alternative #2

 Award only preferred projects: Grand Jury, American River Music, Meeks Bay, Fire Safe Council, EDCTC Shuttles, River Shuttle = Total \$449,213.

Alternative #3

 Award only government projects: DOT, Placerville, Transit, Grand Jury, Meeks Bay = Total \$437,957 and balance (\$87,043) to Fire Safe Council.

And authorize the Chair to sign funding agreements with awarded applicants, pending approval of the Air Pollution Control Officer, County Counsel and Risk Management.