

DATE June 3, 2020

TO GCTD Board of Directors

- **FROM** Matthew Miller, GCTD Planning Manager
- **SUBJECT** Consider Adoption of Resolution 2020-03 Authorizing the General Manager to Submit Project Reimbursement Requests to FEMA through Cal OES

SUMMARY

In April 2020 GCTD staff filed a Request for Public Assistance (RPA) with the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) to begin the process to apply for reimbursement for certain costs associated with the District's actions taken in response to the Covid-19 outbreak.

BACKGROUND

Since the outset of the outbreak, GCTD has taken several steps to protect the public and its employees from exposure to Covid-19. These steps include supplying all employees with personal protective equipment (PPE), enhanced interior and exterior cleaning of all transit vehicles several times a day, and making hand sanitizer available throughout GCTD headquarters. As the threat of Covid-19 remains constant, GCTD expects costs associated with protecting the health of passengers and staff to also remain constant.

GCTD, working with California Governor's Office of Emergency Services (Cal OES), submitted a RPA to FEMA in April and will begin submitting projects for reimbursement, which will include costs for the purchase of PPE, cleaning supplies and equipment, and any other supplies and equipment related to responding in the outbreak. Projects are submitted to Cal OES, which uses FEMA funds to reimburse 75% of the cost of eligible projects started or completed beginning January 20, 2020 until the emergency declaration is closed.

Before any projects can be submitted for reimbursement a resolution from the GCTD Board of Directors authorizing the District to pursue and accept funds under the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act of 1988, and/or state financial assistance under the California Disaster Assistance Act. must be adopted and submitted.

GOLD COAST TRANSIT DISTRICT

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RECOMMENDATION

IT IS RECOMMENDED that the Board adopt resolution 2020-03 authorizing the General Manager to apply for and accept reimbursement of funds for expenses related to GCTD's response to the COVID-19 outbreak, under the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and Emergency Assistance Act of 1988, and/or state financial assistance under the California Disaster Assistance Act.

GENERAL MANAGER'S CONCURRENCE

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DESIGNATION OF APPLICANT'S AGENT RESOLUTION FOR NON-STATE AGENCIES

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE _	Board of D	Directors	_OF THE		ast Transit District	
	(Governir	ng Body)		(N	ame of Applicant)	
THAT <u>C</u>	General Manger (Title of Authorized Agent		gent)	, C	DR	
_ <u>D</u>	Director of Planning and Marketing (Title of Authorized Agent)			,C	DR	
	(Title of Authorized Agent)					
is hereby authorized to execute for	and on behalf of the	e	<u>Gold Coast Transit District</u> , a public en (Name of Applicant)			
established under the laws of the S Services for the purpose of obtainin Disaster Relief and Emergency Ass	ng certain federal fii	nancial assistance	d to file it with the under Public La	he California w 93-288 as	amended by the Robe	rt T. Stafford
THAT the Gold Coast	Transit District		a public entity e	established u	nder the laws of the St	ate of California
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Please check the appropriate box	below:					
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