

Finance and Budget Committee

Meeting date: April 16, 2025

Agenda Item #: 2 – B

Resolution authorizing the Executive Director to execute a contract with the Colorado Governor's office in the amount of \$100,000 with a term through April 2026 for the purpose of funding IIJA Regional Grants Navigation services.

Agenda item type: Consent agenda

Summary

This action is related to additional grant funding for year three from the Governor's Office to provide regional grant navigation services for the Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act and Inflation Reduction Act grant opportunities for local governments and an extension of the current contract with the Governor's Office to extend to the end of the year 3 funding agreement through April 17, 2026.

Background

The bi-partisan Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act of 2021, commonly referred to as the IIJA, provides for approximately \$1.2 trillion in federal funds for investment in infrastructure and job creation, including approximately 70 programs with funding available to local governments in Colorado. The Governor's Office, originally provided funding that would allow DRCOG to contract for IIJA grant navigation services through the end of 2023. The Governor's Office made an additional year of funding available to continue the existing program from the beginning of the new contract, which will begin upon the complete expenditures in the current contract.

This new agreement extends funding through April of 2026 in the amount of \$100,000.

Action by others

None

Previous discussion/action

March 15, 2023 – Finance and Budget Committee meeting

November 15, 2023 – Finance and Budget Committee meeting

[February 21, 2024](#) – Finance and Budget Committee meeting

[February 19, 2025](#) – Finance and Budget Committee meeting

Recommendation

Move to adopt a resolution authorizing the Executive Director to execute a contract with the Colorado Governor's office in the amount of \$100,000 with a term through April 2026 for the purpose of funding IIJA Regional Grants Navigation services.



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Attachments

Draft resolution

For more information

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