

# City Council Action Item Cover Sheet

Date of Council Meeting:

Agenda Item:

Yachats Area Trolley Service

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Question Before Council:

Would like to approval to pursue bringing the service of a trolley replica vehicle to Yachats. The Trolley would broaden visitors experience, providing access to recreation, dining, shopping, sightseeing and hiking. Increase economic opportunity throughout the village and provide the option for visitors to leave their vehicles at their place of lodging, reliving the pressures on parking.

Person/Group Initiating Request:

Bobbi Price, Yachats Area Chamber of Commerce, Executive Director

Rick Sant, City of Yachats, Interim City Manager

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Item Summary/Background:

Thus far, 154 people have completed the sentiment survey, with between 63%-80% Agree or strongly agree depending on the questions asked.

There is an opportunity for both the City & Chamber to each apply for \$100k to put toward the purchase of the Hybrid Trolley. Beyond the initial purchase and grant money secured, Transient Lodging Tax \$\$ would be able to be used for this beneficial infrastructure and service per the Oregon Destination Association, Managing Director.

Resolution For Council:

Requesting a motion and approval for the City and Chamber to pursue grant funding for this project. Also requesting a motion and approval for the City to utilize TLT \$ for any additional cost beyond the funding acquired from grants received. Attached is a proposed estimated operation plan and budget.

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