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Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors
1025 Escobar Street, 4th Floor
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RE: ALLOCATION OF CROCKETT COGENERATION PLANT PROPERTY TAXES

Honorable Supervisors:

This letter transmits the attached Resolution No. 2023-1 of the Board of Directors of the Crockett Community Foundation.

Resolution No. 2023-1 requests the immediate allocation of FY 2023/24 property taxes from the Crockett Cogeneration Plant for specified uses of benefit to Crockett.

Sincerely,

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Brian Montgomery,
Chairperson of the Board

cc: Federal D. Glover, Supervisor District 5
Laura Strobel, County Administrator's Office
Ron Wilson, Crockett Recreation Department
Dean Colombo, Crockett-Carquinez Fire District
Alison Peters, Contra Costa County Library
Sonia Rivas, Crockett Community Services District

Attachment

RESOLUTION NO. 2023-1

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE
CROCKETT COMMUNITY FOUNDATION
RECOMMENDING THE ALLOCATION OF PROPERTY TAXES
TO SPECIFIC USES OF BENEFIT TO CROCKETT**

WHEREAS, the Crockett Community Foundation desires to allocate **\$124,568** in Crockett Cogeneration Return-to-Source funds for projects and services of benefit to Crockett; and

WHEREAS, the Crockett Library has demonstrated the need to augment available funding for operating the Crockett Library, so as to continue to provide six (6) additional hours of operation benefiting Crockett; and

WHEREAS, the Crockett Recreation Department has demonstrated the need to augment available funding for capital improvements and maintenance at the Crockett Community Center, swimming pool, Alexander park facility, along with utilities and landscaping at Crockett's Memorial Hall park; and

WHEREAS, the Crockett Carquinez Fire Department has demonstrated the need to augment available funding for capital equipment and projects at its facilities; and

WHEREAS, the Crockett Sanitary Department has demonstrated the need to augment available funding for capital improvements in wastewater collection and treatment; and

WHEREAS, each of these four agencies regularly relies on property taxes to fund a portion of its annual budget and is empowered by law and/or local voters to receive property tax revenues to provide public services in Crockett; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County did on September 19, 1995, appoint the Crockett Community Foundation as the advisory council to the Board of Supervisors regarding expenditures from the Community Benefits Program funded from new property tax increment of the Crockett Cogeneration Plant; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County did on December 12, 1995, commit 100% of new property tax increment of the Crockett Cogeneration Plant to Crockett programs, with 57% for new police services in Crockett and 43% for unspecified community benefits; and

WHEREAS, the Crockett Community Foundation has developed a five-year plan for the allocation of return-to-source funds for community benefits.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Crockett Community Foundation recommends that Crockett Cogeneration FY 2023/2024 property taxes in the amount of **\$124,568** be immediately allocated as follows:

1. Crockett Community Foundation: \$20,000, for benefit of the Crockett Library.
2. Crockett Community Foundation: \$42,268 for benefit of Crockett Recreation Dept.
3. Crockett Community Foundation: \$30,016, for benefit of the Crockett Carquinez Fire Department.
4. Crockett Community Foundation: \$32,284, for benefit of the Crockett Sanitary Dept.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT the Secretary of the Crockett Community Foundation be directed to transmit this Resolution No. 2023-1 to the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County immediately.


THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION was passed and adopted at the Regular Meeting of the Crockett Community Foundation held on December 7, 2023 by the following vote:

AYES: 6

NOES: 0

ABSTAIN: 0

ABSENT: 1 - PAUL BYER



Brian Montgomery
Chairperson of the Board

ATTEST:



Mary Wais Secretary