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Mendocino County Board of Supervisors  
501 Low Gap Road, Room 1010  
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RE: ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS AND AWARD DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION CONTRACT NUMBER 260010 TO PERFORM THE 2026 CORRECTIVE/PREVENTATIVE MAINTENANCE PROJECT ON VARIOUS COUNTY MAINTAINED ROADS AT AN ESTIMATED COST OF \$3,000,000 (CASPAR AREA)

Honorable Board Members:

The Department of Transportation (DOT) contract number (No.) 260010 will provide for road pavement preservation strategy of single or double chip seal treatment the entire length of the roadway.

County Road (CR) Name	From Milepost (M.P.)	To M.P.	Length in Miles	Pavement Condition Index (PCI)	Average Daily Traffic (ADT)
Caspar Road, CR 569	0.00	0.78	0.78	85	2,562
Caspar Street, CR 410E	0.00	0.23	0.23	63	653
Fern Creek Road, CR 411A	0.00	0.97	0.97	36	1,198
Caspar Little Lake Road, CR 409	0.00	3.30	3.30	49	597
Caspar Orchard Road, CR 410	0.00	0.95	0.95	7	322
Point Cabrillo Drive, CR 564	0.00	2.92	2.92	85	938
Comptche Ukiah Road, CR 223	10.00	24.00	14.00	86	381

Funds for the base bid (estimated \$2,400,000 to \$3,000,000) of this project are to be funded through Senate Bill 1 (SB 1): The Road Repair and Accountability Act of 2017, and Road Maintenance and Rehabilitation Account (RMRA) funds, and are budgeted in Fiscal Year (FY) 2026/27. The Department will not exceed funding available. This 2026 Corrective/Preventative Maintenance Project constitutes Year 8 (FY 26/27) of the 20-year Annual Project Expenditure Plan as outlined in my January 8, 2019, Director's Report, which provides for corrective/preventative maintenance on the County Roads listed above.

DOT intends to advertise for bids and have the project completed in September or October of the calendar year (2026). DOT will prepare construction plans, specifications, estimates, and contract documents;

advertise and award the County contract; and coordinate the project with the other governmental agencies as needed.

I recommend and request that the Board authorize and direct the Director of Transportation to advertise for construction bids and to award DOT Contract No. 260010 up to \$3,000,000, to perform the 2026 Corrective/Preventative Maintenance Project on Various County Maintained Roads in the Caspar area. Total distance to be treated is estimated to be 23.2 miles of roadway.

The Director is also making an Assembly Bill 720 declaration that DOT crews will do approximately \$750,000 in preparation (dig outs) and pavement marking for this corrective maintenance project (2026 Corrective/Preventative Maintenance Project), as well as DOT crew efforts this year on additional corrective maintenance.

Department of Transportation staff have prepared a draft Resolution which provides said authorization for the Board's consideration and adoption.

I will, of course, respond to any questions that you may have.

Respectfully submitted,



HOWARD N. DASHIELL  
Director of Transportation

Enclosure

cc: DOT Project 3041-CM2601