AGENDA ITEM or FINAL CONTRACT REVIEW SUBMITTAL FORM

AgendaTitle:
Community Builders Task Force Grant

Action Requested: Motion

Parties to the Agreement:

Term Begins: **Term Ends:** **Grant Contract #:**

Summary:
Staff would like to provide an update on the CBTF project and receive direction on pursing a DOLA grant to supplement the project's funding.

Fiscal Impact:

Submitted by: Russell Forrest **Submitter's Email Address:** rforrest@gunnisoncounty.org

Finance Review: ○ Required ◉ Not Required

Comments:

Reviewed by: Discharge Date:

County Attorney Review: ○ Required ◉ Not Required

Comments:

Reviewed by: Discharge Date: Certificate of Insurance Required

Yes ○ No ○

County Manager Review:

Comments:

Reviewed by: GUNCOUNTY1\mbirnie Discharge Date: 11/18/2014

○ Consent Agenda ○ Regular Agenda ◉ Worksession Time Allotted: 15 minutes

Agenda Date: 11/25/2014 Follow Up Agenda Date:

Revised April 2013

TO: Gunnison County Board of County Commissioners

FROM: Russell Forrest, Community Development Director

DATE: November 25, 2014

RE: Community Builders Task Force Update/DOLA Grant

Staff wanted to provide an update on the Community Builders Task Force and Visioning process proposed for 2015 which would be coordinated with the Economic Development Administration Grant that will also commence in the January of 2015. Staff would like to provide an update on the two projects and where we stand with funding the project. We have continued to work with the Sonoran Institute on the project along with our partners on the Community Builders Task Force. We currently have approximately $105,000 committed between the Sonoran Institute and Local Partners. We believe a total project budget of $125,000 would be optimal to create an effective community engagement process. Staff is meeting with the Department of Local Affairs on Monday, November 24th to investigate a planning grant that may be applicable for this project. Staff would like to provide a brief PowerPoint presentation on the project on November 25th and receive direction on whether to pursue a DOLA grant for this project.