

**RESOLUTION NO. R74-2018
CITY OF KUNA, IDAHO**

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL FOR KUNA, IDAHO FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE CITY OF KUNA'S ENDORSEMENT OF ADA COUNTY HIGHWAY DISTRICT'S VEHICLE REGISTRATION FEE REAUTHORIZATION.

WHEREAS, the population of Ada and Canyon Counties is projected to be over 1.022 million by the year 2040; and

WHEREAS, community leaders in the region know that a sustainable transportation system is critical to sustain and enhance economic development opportunities; and

WHEREAS, rapid growth in the region will continue to increase the number of vehicles on our roads, resulting in increased traffic congestion and negative impacts to air quality; and

WHEREAS, *Communities in Motion*, the regional long-range transportation plan for Ada and Canyon Counties, projects an annual funding shortfall of at least \$235 million for the construction, operation, and maintenance of critical transportation systems, inclusive of roadways and transit, by 2040; and

WHEREAS, it is critical that existing local, state, and federal revenue is maintained and enhanced to address the region's transportation funding needs; and

WHEREAS, the Ada County Highway District is seeking voter approval to reauthorize the county's local option registration fee program on November 6, 2018; and

WHEREAS, the estimated additional \$7.5 million in revenue will be used to exclusively provide congestion relief, to undertake major road improvements and other large mobility projects, and to continue the enhanced funding of neighborhood projects and safe routes to school in Ada County.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Kuna endorses and recommends voter approval for reauthorization of the Ada County Highway District's vehicle registration fee.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, this Resolution shall be in full force and effective immediately upon its adoption by the City of Kuna, Idaho.


PASSED BY THE COUNCIL of Kuna, Idaho this 18th day of September, 2018.

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR of Kuna, Idaho this 18th day of September, 2018.



Joe L. Stear, Mayor

ATTEST:


Chris Engels, City Clerk

