



City Manager's Office

MEMORANDUM

DATE: April 6, 2023

TO: Mayor and City Council

THROUGH: Doug Thornley, City Manager Approved Electronically

FROM: Noemi Gomez Martinez, Community Relationships Program Manager
Cynthia Esparza, Chief Equity & Community Relations Officer

SUBJECT: Senior Citizen Advisory Committee Special Meeting Update

On Thursday, March 30, 2023, the Senior Citizen Advisory Committee (SCAC) held a special meeting to finalize Senior ARPA allocations recommendations.

Staff provided a presentation highlighting options for the SCAC requested categories. After extensive discussion, the following are the SCAC recommendations scheduled for City Council approval on April 26, 2023.

Senior Coordinator – Grant funded position to support the Senior community.

- Cost not to exceed \$337,000 for an estimated 3 years.

Senior Engagement – Funding additional Senior engagement opportunities.

- Cost not to exceed \$163,000, for an estimated 3 years. Technology classes will be funded using these funds.

Senior Transportation – Selection of Neighbor Network of Northern Nevada (N4) for transportation program. The SCAC did not select the RTC proposal due to limited citywide access.

- Cost not to exceed \$200,000, for an estimated 2 years.

Senior Health and Wellness – Selection of Reno Food Systems program to address Senior food insecurity, health, and wellness. The SCAC did not select the Food Back of Northern Nevada proposal due to costs and program length.

- Cost not to exceed \$300,000 for an estimated 4 years.

Questions on the recommended allocations can be directed to Noemi Gomez Martinez at gomezn@reno.gov.