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MEMORANDUM

To: Historic Resources Commission **F-4**

From: Jennifer Pruitt, Principal Planner

Date: May 10, 2012

Subject: HRC-12-028
2012 Historic Preservation Fund Grant

DISCUSSION:

The Certified Local Government Program was established by the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA) of 1966. NHPA was created in reaction to the destruction of many historic resources using federal funding. NHPA established a national historic preservation program as a decentralized partnership between the federal government and the States. The NHPA provides an opportunity for local governments to strengthen their local historic preservation efforts.

On February 27, 2012, the Planning Division was notified via US Mail of the Historic Preservation Fund Award of 15,000.00 to the Historic Resources Commission. The projects associated with the 2012 award are to allow for the completion of a Historic Context and Research of Kings Canyon Road and the preparation of Historic Structures Reports for Anderson Ranch and Lompa Ranch.

At the time of the award the SHPO office informed the Planning Division of a previous report for Kings Canyon Road completed in the mid 1990's and suggested that Carson City modify the grant request.

The purpose of this item is to update the HRC of the grant award and to determine if the HRC is interested in a modification of the grant request. Staff will provide an overview of the grant modification process.