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## Yolo-Solano Air Quality Management District Awards \$503,275 for Clean Air Projects

(Davis, CA) – June 21, 2022 - At the June 8 meeting of the Yolo-Solano Air Quality Management District's Board of Directors, the board approved a total of \$530,275 in funding for 10 Clean Air Fund (CAF) projects for the 2022/2023 grant cycle.

This annual grant program provides funding to private businesses, non-profit organizations, and public agencies for local projects that will reduce emissions from mobile sources of air pollution within the district. The funds are intended for the purposes of implementing the use of cleaner technologies, low emission vehicles, alternative transportation, transit services and public education.

Funding for the CAF Program comes from a portion of the annual Department of Motor Vehicles registration fee and additional funding for Solano County projects is provided by AB 8 property tax proceeds. Funding is awarded on a competitive basis for projects that aim to achieve the greatest amount of emission reductions for the money awarded, maximizing cost effectiveness.

The following is the list of projects that were awarded funding for the 2022/2023 cycle:

- River Delta Unified School District Green Grass Clean Air Project (Electric replacement of 2 gas-powered lawn mowers)
- Bike Campaign Bike Racks for Davis and Woodland Schools
- City of Vacaville Markham Elementary Pedestrian Improvements (Sidewalk Gap Project)
- North Davis Elementary NDE Safer Bike Racks and Happier Riders
- ROAMBase ROAM: Shared Bicycle Locks for Everyone
- Solano County Foothill Drive Bike Connection Project
- West Sacramento OnDemand Rideshare Recreation Center Summer Pilot
- Yolo Commute E-Bike Loan Program
- Solano Transportation Authority Eastern Solano County Commuter Incentive Relaunch
- Breathe California West Sacramento Bike Rodeo

For more information about the District's Clean Air Funds Grant Program or to register for the mailing list to be notified of the next application period visit <a href="https://www.ysaqmd.org/incentives/clean-air-funds/">https://www.ysaqmd.org/incentives/clean-air-funds/</a>.

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