



RESOLUTION No. _____

OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

RESOLUTION APPROVING ACCEPTANCE OF THE SIERRA NEVADA CONSERVANCY WILDFIRE RECOVERY AND FOREST RESILIENCE GRANT PROGRAM FUNDS FOR THE SNC #1512 SOUTH YUBA RIM HAZARDOUS FUELS REDUCTION PROJECT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$214,666 DURING THE PERIOD MAY 28, 2024 THROUGH MARCH 1, 2027, AUTHORIZING THE DIRECTOR OF EMERGENCY SERVICES TO EXECUTE THE GRANT AGREEMENT AND ALL ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS TO FULFILL THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE GRANT ON BEHALF OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

WHEREAS, the County of Nevada has a severe and present danger from wildfire, and the Sierra Nevada Conservancy Wildfire Recovery and Forest Resilience Grant Program aims to reduce wildfire risk for communities and ecosystems; and

WHEREAS, the South Yuba Rim Hazardous Fuels Reduction Project has been identified as a priority in the CAL FIRE Nevada-Yuba-Placer Unit (NEU) Strategic Plan; and

WHEREAS, the Office of Emergency Services submitted a grant proposal to the Sierra Nevada Conservancy (SNC) on October 28, 2022, for the South Yuba Rim Hazardous Fuels Reduction Project (Res. 22-590); and

WHEREAS, SNC awarded funds for this project on March 2, 2023 through the grant SNC #1512; and

WHEREAS, as these funds were intended to act as match to FEMA grant HMGP DR-4482-693-19 Phase 1, SNC opted to wait until the FEMA award decision to issue the grant agreement; and

WHEREAS, upon award, match for the FEMA grant HMGP DR-4482-693-19 Phase 1 was approved under the Prepare CA Match Program (Res. 24-155); and

WHEREAS, the Office of Emergency Services subsequently worked with SNC to rescope the SNC #1512 grant to expand the South Yuba Rim Hazardous Fuels Reduction Project to be inclusive of work on federal (Bureau of Land Management) land; and

WHEREAS, on May 9, 2024, SNC issued the grant agreement for the South Yuba Rim Hazardous Fuels Reduction Project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Nevada, State of California, accepts the Sierra Nevada Conservancy Wildfire Recovery and Forest Resilience Grant Program funds for the SNC #1512 South Yuba Rim Hazardous Fuels Reduction Project in the amount of \$214,666 during the period May 28, 2024 through March 1, 2027, authorizing the Director of Emergency Services to execute the Grant Agreement and all additional documents to fulfill the requirements of the grant on behalf of the County of Nevada.

Funding:

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