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DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: June 3, 2025

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Rachel Peña, Social Services Director

SUBJECT: Resolution approving execution of an agreement pertaining to facilitation of County Self-Assessment activities with The Regents of the University of California, UC Davis Extension for the contract term of June 1, 2025, through April 1, 2026, in the maximum amount of \$82,572.50

RECOMMENDATION: Approve the attached Resolution.

FUNDING: Services will be funded through available State and Federal sources and department realignment dollars. Services are included in the Department's FYs 2024/25 and 2025/26 budget. There are no County general fund dollars required in the agreement.

BACKGROUND: The Regents of the University, California, Davis University Extension provides training, facilitation, and consultation services to Child Welfare Services throughout California. This contract incorporates facilitation and program recommendations by assisting in arranging and directing the County Self-Assessment (CSA) activities which include a Peer Review and Stakeholder meeting to determine areas of strength and areas needing improvement for Nevada County Child Welfare Services. The CSA is part of the California Child and Family Services Review (C-CFSR) System that was formed as a result of the passage of the Child Welfare System Improvement and Accountability Act (AB 636) in 2001. The C-CFSR is designed to improve outcomes for children in the child welfare system while holding county agencies accountable for the outcomes achieved.

It is recommended that the Board of Supervisors approve this Resolution as the agreement provides facilitation of Child Welfare's CSA process which guides program improvement.

Approved by: Rachel Peña, Social Services Director