

## **NEVADA COUNTY HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY**

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## NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

**Board Agenda Memo** 

**MEETING DATE:** June 27, 2023

TO: **Board of Supervisors** 

FROM: **Phebe Bell** 

**SUBJECT:** Resolution approving execution of a Contract for Services with the County

of Plumas for the provision of Telephone Triage Services for Plumas County Adult System of Care (ASOC) and Children's System of Care (CSOC) in the maximum amount payable of \$201,600 for the term of July

1, 2023 through June 30, 2026.

**RECOMMENDATION:** Approve the attached Resolution.

**FUNDING:** This is a revenue Agreement whereby Plumas County pays Nevada County Behavioral Health Department a monthly rate as full payment for each full month during which Telephone Triage Services are provided. There are no county general funds required.

**BACKGROUND:** Under this renewal Contract, Nevada County, through a contract with Auburn Counseling Services, Inc., is agreeing to provide Telephone Triage Services for the Plumas County Adult System of Care Mental Health referrals for adults, and crisis referrals for adults, children and youth. This agreement is similar to the partnership we have with Placer County for triage services. In addition to supporting Plumas County residents with this service, this agreement allows our county to spread the administrative and staffing costs for the Telephone Triage Service over more contracts, thereby reducing the burden for Nevada County.

It is respectfully recommended that the Board of Supervisors approve this Contract, which serves to strengthen and promote the mutual working relationship between Plumas and Nevada Counties.

Item Initiated and Approved by: Phebe Bell, MSW, Behavioral Health Director