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NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: September 26, 2023
TO: Board of Supervisors
FROM: **Heba El-Guindy, Director of Public Works**
Craig Griesbach, Director of Emergency Services
SUBJECT: Resolution Authorizing Environmental Clearance for the 2023 Storm Debris Removal Project – All Districts

RECOMMENDATION: Approve the attached Resolution.

FUNDING: The 2023 Storm Debris Removal Project (Project) will be fully funded by the Cal Fire Grant Agreement 5GA21159 within the Nevada County Office of Emergency Services budget.

BACKGROUND: The Department of Public Works in coordination with the Office of Emergency Services desire to remove storm debris caused by the 2023 February-March Winter Storm. The Department of Public Works will manage removal of debris from the County right-of-way to avoid potential fire hazard and/or potential hazard to public safety. The Project's list of County maintained roads is attached.

The Public Works Department has reviewed the Project for compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Statutes and Guidelines and has identified it as categorically exempt from the provisions of CEQA per Section 15301(c).

Under Section 15301(c) of the CEQA Guidelines, Class 1 projects consisting of the repair and maintenance of existing streets are categorically exempt from the provisions of CEQA.

The attached Notice of Exemption has been prepared for the Project and upon approval by the Nevada County Board of Supervisors, will be filed with the Nevada County Clerk-Recorder's Office.

Item Initiated by: Michelle Garcia, Project Manager
Approved by: Heba El-Guindy, Director of Public Works

Attachments:

- Resolution Authorizing Environmental Clearance for the 2023 Storm Debris Removal Project
- List of Roads (Exhibit A)
- Notice of Exemption from CEQA