



RESOLUTION No. _____

OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

RESOLUTION APPROVING ACCEPTANCE OF ENCAMPMENT RESOLUTION FUND (ERF) FUNDING TOTALING \$2,508,623 AND AUTHORIZING THE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH DIRECTOR TO EXECUTE THE STANDARD AGREEMENT

WHEREAS, the California Interagency Council on Homelessness has made available grant funds to County's to reduce the impacts of encampments of people experiencing homelessness through its Encampment Resolution Fund (ERF) grant opportunity; and

WHEREAS, The Encampment Resolution Fund (ERF) is designed to transition individuals out of encampments and into safe and stable housing, including providing supportive services;

WHEREAS, Nevada County has identified the need to address housing and homelessness as a board priority; and

WHEREAS, Nevada County Behavioral Health was awarded ERF grant funding to implement dedicated interim shelter, housing navigation services and other supportive services for individuals engaged who are experiencing unsheltered homelessness in encampments in the Brunswick Basin; and

WHEREAS, the Standard Agreement from the State is not yet available, however time is of the essence to identify a provider; and

WHEREAS, it is required that NCBH undertake a Request for Proposal process to secure a provider for the expanded services; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Nevada, State of California, that the County is hereby authorized to accept the Encampment Resolution Funds in the amount of \$2,508,623 for the contract term of April 18, 2024, through April 17, 2027, and that the Board of Supervisors authorizes the Director of Behavioral Health, to execute the standard agreement and any necessary documents in connection with this award and all amendments thereto, on behalf of the County of Nevada.

Funds to be deposited into: 1589-40115-493-2200/445200