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**NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**  
**Board Agenda Memo**

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**MEETING DATE:** January 9, 2018  
**TO:** Board of Supervisors  
**FROM:** Patrick Perkins, Senior Civil Engineer  
**SUBJECT:** **Resolution Authorizing Environmental Clearance for the 2018 Road Rehabilitation Project**

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**RECOMMENDATION:** Approve the attached Resolution.

**FUNDING:** The resolution does not have a financial impact. The work done under this Environmental Clearance will occur in Fiscal Year 2018/19 and will be brought to the Board of Supervisors for approval during the 2018/19 budget process.

**BACKGROUND:**

The project consists of pavement rehabilitation along approximately 14 miles of County-maintained roads in Western Nevada County as shown on the attached maps. A hot in-place asphalt recycling process is proposed for use on Penn Valley Drive, Indian Springs Road and Spenceville Road, followed by placement of a microsurface. Pleasant Valley Drive and Scotts Flat Road are scheduled for a microsurface only.

The hot in-place rehabilitation process consists of softening the existing asphalt surface with heat and thoroughly stirring and/or tumbling the mixture, applying asphalt rejuvenator, and re-compacting the hot in-place recycled surface. Microsurfacing consists of installing a Type II micro-surfacing emulsion on top of the surface. The project is scheduled for summer 2018.

This Department has reviewed the project for compliance with the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) and has identified the project as a Class I project. Class I projects consist of repair or minor alteration of an existing public facility involving negligible or no expansion of use. Therefore, the project is categorically exempt from the provisions of CEQA, per Section 15301 (c) of the California Code of Regulations. A 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's Office.

**Item Initiated by:** Patrick Perkins, Senior Civil Engineer  
**Approved by:** Trisha Tillotson, Director of Public Works

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