



NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: 4/18/2023

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Shannan Moon, Sheriff-Coroner-Public Administrator

SUBJECT: Resolution authorizing approval of the existing Military Equipment Use Policy as called for in AB 481 and acknowledging the annual report and subsequent public engagement meeting requirement.

RECOMMENDATION: Adopt the resolution.

FUNDING: There is no additional funding required with this resolution.

BACKGROUND: On January 1, 2022, AB 481 was signed into law adding Government Code sections 7070 et. seq. This law mandated the establishment of an Ordinance requiring law enforcement agencies to develop a policy, provide a list of equipment and obtain approval of their governing body, prior to requesting, seeking, or using 'military equipment' either permanently or temporarily. The Military Equipment Use Policy ("MEUP") was approved by the Board of Supervisors on April 26, 2022, per Ordinance 2508. Pursuant to AB 481, an annual Military Equipment Use Report and the MEUP must be submitted to the Board of Supervisors annually for approval. Upon approval, the annual report shall be published to the Sheriff's Office website for at least 30 days. After the 30-day notice, the Sheriff's Office will hold a well-publicized community engagement meeting.

Initiated by: Sam Brown
Approved by: Shannan Moon