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May 13, 2016

The Honorable Board of Supervisors
County of Nevada
950 Maidu Avenue
Nevada City, CA 95959

DATE OF MEETING: June 14, 2016

SUBJECT: Board of Supervisors' Responses to the 2015-16 Nevada County Civil Grand Jury Report, dated April 26, 2016 entitled *The Value of Transparency in the Nevada County Board of Supervisors*.

RECOMMENDATION: Approve the attached Responses to Findings and Recommendations.

FUNDING: None.

BACKGROUND:

As required by the California Penal Code, Section 933 (b), the Board of Supervisors must submit comments to the presiding judge of the Superior Court on the findings and recommendations included in the Civil Grand Jury Report pertaining to matters under the control of the Board.

For each Grand Jury finding, the Board must indicate either:

1. Agreement with the finding
2. Disagreement either wholly or partially with the finding. In this case, the portion of the finding that is disputed and the reasons for doing so must be specified.

Responses to Grand Jury recommendations must indicate one of the following actions:

1. The recommendation has been implemented.
2. The recommendation has not yet been implemented, but will be by a certain date.
3. The recommendation requires further analysis to be completed within six months.
4. The recommendation will not be implemented for reasons as explained.

We have prepared draft responses to each of the findings and recommendations requiring a response for the Board's consideration. Following Board approval of the responses, they will be submitted to the presiding judge of the superior court as required by the California Penal Code. These responses must be submitted to the judge within 60 days after the Grand Jury Report, which is June 30, 2016.

Respectfully submitted,


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