

## RESOLUTION No.\_\_\_\_

## OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE FOR THE 2023 STORM DEBRIS REMOVAL PROJECT – ALL DISTRICTS.

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Works plans to remove storm debris from the County right-of-way caused by the 2023 February-March Winter Storm to avoid fire and public safety hazards; and

WHEREAS, this 2023 Storm Debris Removal Project will remove storm debris from approximately 94 miles of County maintained roads, see Exhibit A (attached hereto and made a part hereof) for the road list; and

WHEREAS, work performed will be funded by the Cal Fire Grant Agreement 5GA21159 within the Nevada County Office of Emergency Services budget; and

WHEREAS, under Section 15301(c) of the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Statutes and Guidelines, Class 1 projects consisting of the repair and maintenance of existing streets are categorically exempt from the provisions of CEQA.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Nevada County Board of supervisors authorizes the Director of the Nevada County Department of Public Works to file a Notice of Exemption from CEQA with the Nevada County Clerk-Recorder's Office for the 2023 Storm Debris Removal Project.