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NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
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MEETING DATE: May 28, 2024

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Jeffrey Thorsby, Chief of Staff/Clerk of the Board

SUBJECT: Resolution amending Resolution 21-178 designating Arts Collaborative of Nevada County DBA Nevada County Arts Council as Nevada County's State-Local Partner through the California Arts Council State-Local Partnership Program in perpetuity

RECOMMENDATION: Accept the Resolution

FUNDING: None

BACKGROUND: Since 2009, the Arts Collaborative of Nevada County, also referred to as the Nevada County Arts Council, has been the County-designated organization for the California Arts Council State-Local Partnership Program (CAC).

The program provides operating and technical resources to the County designee to foster cultural development on the local level. Support includes funding, information exchange, cooperative activities, and leadership assistance.

As the local designee, the Nevada County Arts Council assisted the cities of Grass Valley and Nevada City and the Town of Truckee in applying and becoming State designated cultural districts amongst other activities. The Board of Supervisors last designated the Nevada County Arts Council as its local designee on May 25, 2021, via Resolution 21-178.

The intent of Resolution 21-178 was to designate Nevada County Arts Council as our designee for CAC until further notice, however, CAC recently requested further clarification in the Resolution which states that the partnership is in perpetuity.

Per CAC's request, Nevada County Arts Council has requested an updated resolution to continue as the County's local partner in perpetuity, subject to annual reporting to Nevada County Board of Supervisors, to be eligible to receive CAC funding.

The Board's designation of the Nevada County Arts Council as a local partner does not require or imply the commitment of any County financial resources.

Therefore, staff recommends that the Board adopt the attached Resolution.

Item Initiated: Mandy Stewart, Administrative Analyst II

Approved: Jeffrey Thorsby, Chief of Staff / Clerk of the Board

Submittal Date: May 13, 2024