



## NEVADA COUNTY

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# PROBATION DEPARTMENT

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## NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Board Agenda Memo

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**MEETING DATE:** January 12, 2021

**TO:** Board of Supervisors

**FROM:** Michael Ertola  
Probation Department

**SUBJECT:** Resolution approving the Agreement between the City of Grass Valley and the Nevada County Probation Department for AB109 police officer services for the fiscal year 2020-2021.

**RECOMMENDATION:** Adopt the Resolution.

**FUNDING:** The Agreement amount of \$20,000 for fiscal year 2020-2021, is 100% funded by State Local Community Corrections Account apportionment (AB109). Funding was included in the FY 2020/2021 budget and approved in the Community Corrections Partnership Plan (Res. 20-436) for FY 2020/21. No general funds are required.

**BACKGROUND:**

Since the inception of AB109 in 2011, Nevada County Probation has successfully developed multiple programs and resources within the community to address the needs of probationers released from, or eligible for, State prison sentences. Nevada County is very fortunate to have a tradition of excellent collaboration among the Courts, Probation, Sheriff, Police Departments, District Attorney, Public Defender, Health and Human Services, Community Based Organizations and the faith-based community. Members of the Nevada County Community Corrections Partnership (CCP) are committed to working closely together to assess, implement, maintain, refine, and increase services funded by AB109.

For FY 2020/2021 the Community Corrections Partnership Executive Committee agreed the City of Grass Valley may receive a distribution of Nevada County AB109 Realignment funds in the maximum amount of \$20,000 for AB109 police officer services. This Agreement will allow for the funding of a uniformed police officer to work alongside probation officers to further AB109 initiatives. The inclusion of a visible, active law enforcement officer working alongside probation officers on AB109 related activities ensures a higher level of public safety and is a prime example of the collaborative efforts amongst Nevada County's criminal justice partners.

Respectfully submitted,

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**Item Initiated by:** Angelina Coffey, Administrative Services Officer

**Approved by:** Michael Ertola, Chief Probation Officer

Submittal Date: December 10, 2020