



RESOLUTION No. _____

OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING MAY 2017 AS OLDER AMERICANS MONTH IN NEVADA COUNTY

WHEREAS, Nevada County includes a community of older Americans who richly contribute to our community; and

WHEREAS, we acknowledge that what it means “to age” has changed—for the better; and

WHEREAS, Nevada County is committed to supporting older adults as they take charge of their health, explore new opportunities and activities, and focus on independence; and

WHEREAS, Nevada County can provide opportunities to enrich the lives of individuals of *all ages* by:

- involving older adults in the redefinition of aging in our community;
- promoting home- and community-based services that support independent living;
- encouraging older adults to speak up for themselves and others; and
- providing opportunities for older adults to share their experiences.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors approves this Resolution proclaiming May 2017 as Older Americans Month in Nevada County. We urge every citizen to take time this month to recognize older adults and the people who serve and support them as influential and vital parts of our community.