



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

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

#### **RESOLUTION TO AWARD A CONTRACT TO HANSEN BROS. ENTERPRISES FOR THE BRUNSWICK ROAD EMERGENCY SLIDE REPAIR PROJECT – DISTRICT III**

WHEREAS, on February 28, 2017 the Board of Supervisors approved Resolution 17-103, ratifying a local emergency proclamation by the Nevada County Director of Emergency Services and declared a further emergency due to extreme and cumulative precipitation, atmospheric rivers, and storms in February 2017 which caused significant damage to roads; and

WHEREAS, the Resolution also authorizes the County Road Commissioner to make necessary repairs to county highways; and

WHEREAS, due to a series of storms, a section of southbound Brunswick Road south of East Bennett Street settled more than 14 inches was closed to traffic; and

WHEREAS, based on data from a 2007 geotechnical report of this portion of road and discussions with local contractors and geotechnical engineers, staff believes a major contributor to the road failure was due to excessive ground water saturating the road fill material used when the road was built more than 50 years ago; and

WHEREAS, on March 14, 2017 the Board of Supervisors approved Resolution 17-125, awarding a contract to Welco Underground Construction for emergency stabilization and repairs to Brunswick Road that included in the installation of horizontal drains; and

WHEREAS, the installation of horizontal drains into the roadway fill relieved some of the hydrostatic pressure on the fill to help minimize the risk of continued settlement/slip; and

WHEREAS, relieving the saturated conditions also allowed staff to schedule the permanent repairs to Brunswick Road; and

WHEREAS, the proposed contract will construct the permanent repairs that includes the installation of a 300-foot long French drain on the east side of the roadway and rebuild the repave the damaged area; and

WHEREAS, on June 29, 2017 3 bids were opened and three (3) contractors submitted responsive bids; and

WHEREAS, construction is anticipated to begin on July 17, 2017 and be completed by August 11, 2017 as allowed by the contract; and  
WHEREAS, staff will be seeking reimbursement for the proposed work from Caltrans and the Federal Highways Administration (FHWA); and

WHEREAS, in order to expedite the emergency repairs, staff will utilize existing Road Fund dollars; and

WHEREAS, there is sufficient budget available in 1114-30154-702-1000/540711 to complete this project.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Nevada County Board of Supervisors:

1. Awards the contract to the low bidder, Hansen Bros. Enterprises at the bid price of \$635,289 plus a 10% contingency of \$63,529 for the total maximum not to exceed amount of \$698,818.
2. Authorizes the Chair of the Board of Supervisors to execute on behalf of the County of Nevada the contract between Nevada County and Hansen Bros. Enterprises, upon receipt of Certificates of Insurance by the Director of the Department of Public Works and approval and acceptance of the Certificates of Insurance by the Risk Manager.