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NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: November 17, 2020

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: **Steve Monaghan – IGS-Emergency Management**

SUBJECT: Wildfire preparedness informational presentation to the Board of Supervisors by Office of Emergency Services and Stakeholders

RECOMMENDATION: Accept the informational presentation to the Board

FUNDING: N/A.

BACKGROUND: The Board of Supervisors adopted their 2020 Board Objective in February 2020 through Resolution 20-041. One of the Priority A Objectives is to “Reduce the loss of life during a wildfire by improving evacuation routes and early warning systems; creating more defensible space around private properties and driveways, building a network of maintained fuel breaks, engaging residents in emergency preparedness and fire-safe stewardship, and enhancing critical infrastructure.”

In support of this objective, and to increase transparency regarding the work and resources dedicated to this objective, the Office of Emergency Services will be updating the Board monthly on these efforts. This presentation will often include additional presenters from our stakeholders such as PG&E, local and regional fire districts, CAL FIRE, and others.

Item Initiated by: Paul Cummings

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