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NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: November 26, 2024

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: **Rachel Peña**

SUBJECT: The Food Bank of Nevada County informational presentation to the Board.

RECOMMENDATION: Accept The Food Bank of Nevada County Presentation to the Board.

FUNDING: N/A

BACKGROUND:

The Food Bank of Nevada County (FBNC) plays a critical role in addressing food insecurity by providing essential food distribution services to thousands of households throughout the County. They assist the community through direct food distributions, a home delivery program for the elderly and disabled, and partnerships with over 30 local nonprofits and food pantries such as Hospitality House, Salvation Army, and Interfaith Food Ministry. Additionally, FBNC provides support for school snack programs in 22 area schools and emergency food access during extreme weather and other disasters.

In this presentation, FBNC will discuss the increasing need for food services in Nevada County, outline their vision for the future, and detail their vision for continued partnership with the County to better serve our community. Key topics include the economic impact of their programs and their long-term goal to become fully self-sustainable.

Approved by: Rachel Peña, LCSW Director of Social Services