



RESOLUTION No. _____

OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

RESOLUTION APPOINTING AN OFFICER TO APPOINT AND SUPERVISE A SPECIAL RECOUNT BOARD FOR THE JUNE 7, 2022 CLERK RECORDER/REGISTRAR OF VOTERS ELECTION

WHEREAS, on June 7, 2022 the voters of Nevada County cast their vote for twenty-five elected positions at the federal, state, and local level including Nevada County Clerk Recorder/Registrar of Voters; and

WHEREAS, on June 29, 2022 the Nevada County Clerk Recorder/Registrar of Voters Greg Diaz certified the results of the June 7, 2022 election including certifying Natalie Adona as the Nevada County Clerk Recorder/Registrar of Voters Elect with 22,800 casts votes in the affirmative representing 67.89% of votes with Jason Tedder and Paul Gilbert receiving 7,843 and 2,942 votes in the affirmative representing 23.35% and 8.76% of votes, respectively; and

WHEREAS, on July 5, 2022 Randy Economy (herein referenced as “Requestor”) submitted a written request on behalf of candidate Jason Tedder to the Nevada County Clerk Recorder/Registrar of Voters Greg Diaz requesting a recount of the Nevada County Clerk Recorder/Registrar of Voters June 7, 2022 election per California Election Code §15620 (herein referenced as “Request” and attached hereto as Exhibit A); and

WHEREAS, the Request specified a manual recount of the votes in a precinct order listed in Table 1-1: Precinct Order of the Request, and furthermore requested access to documents, materials, and information relevant to the election pursuant to Elections Code §§ 15620-15634; and

WHEREAS, the Request was provided within five (5) days of the election certification following the national Holiday July 4, 2022 as required by California Elections Code §15620 and § 15; and

WHEREAS, California Elections Code §15625 provides that the recount shall be conducted by a special recount board consisting of four voters of the County; and

WHEREAS, Elections Code §15625 further provides that, if the office of the elections official is the subject of the recount, the governing body shall appoint an officer, other than the elections official, to appoint and supervise the special recount boards; and

WHEREAS, each member of a recount board shall receive the same compensation per day as is paid in the jurisdiction within which the recount is being conducted to members of precinct boards, other than inspectors, to be paid out of the appropriate public treasury; and

WHEREAS, California Elections Code §15624 provides that Requestor shall, before the recount is commenced and at the beginning of each day following, deposit with the elections official a sum as required by the elections official to cover the cost of the recount for that day to the appointed officer, and shall be entitled to the return of any money deposited in excess of the cost of the recount if the candidate, slate, or position on the measure has not received the plurality of the votes cast as applicable per law; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors is the governing body with the authority to appoint an officer, other than the elections official, to appoint and supervise the special recount boards consisting of four voters of the county that shall receive the same compensation per day as paid on the jurisdiction within which the recount is being conducted to members of precinct boards, other than inspectors, to be paid out of the appropriate public treasury as required by law.

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors has identified Ryan Ronco, who is the County of Placer Clerk-Recorder/Registrar of Voters, as an individual with the requisite knowledge of California elections law and possessing the experience and expertise in conducting countywide elections, as an appropriately qualified officer to appoint and supervise the special recount boards.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Nevada, State of California, that the Board of Supervisors hereby appoints Ryan Ronco, County of Placer Clerk-Recorder/Registrar of Voters as the officer to appoint and supervise the special recount boards and conduct a recount of the Nevada County Clerk Recorder/Registrar of Voters June 7, 2022 election and to carry out the duties as prescribed by California Elections Code Division 15 Chapter 9 Article 3 §15620-15634 as identified in Exhibit B.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, funds when received for the purposes of the recount election will be deposited into the Elections budget code 0101-10501-073-1000/462000.