

RESOLUTION No.____

OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS TO ACCEPT GRANT FUNDING FOR AGREEMENT NO. EETAG1502 WITH THE CALIFORNIA ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (CalEPA) FOR THE ENVIRONMENTAL ENFORCEMENT & TRAINING ACCOUNT GRANT PROGRAM (EETAG) FOR THE PERIOD SEPTEMBER 1, 2015, THROUGH JULY 30, 2017, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$34,900.00 AND TO AUTHORIZE THE CHAIR OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OR HIS/HER DESIGNEE TO EXECUTE ALL DOCUMENTS NECESSARY TO SECURE RELEASE OF GRANT FUNDS FOR THE EETAG GRANT PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the California Environmental Protection Agency (CalEPA) established the Environmental Enforcement Training Account Grant Program (EETAG), which provides financial assistance to public entities for the purpose of environmental enforcement, investigation and training programs that enhance statewide enforcement of environmental laws; and

WHEREAS, under the grant, Environmental Health staff will receive advanced environmental crimes investigation and Hazardous Materials trainings to perform emergency response as Technician level responders and support the Local Enforcement Authority of the County of Nevada in enhancing surveillance over common illegal dumping sites located in the County. The grant also provides funding for equipment that will further enhance surveillance and enforcement; and

WHEREAS, on March 25, 2016, the County Executive Officer granted approval for Nevada County Environmental Health to apply for a Grant for staff training and surveillance equipment; and

WHEREAS, Nevada County Environmental Health applied for and was awarded Grant No. EETAG1502 in the amount of \$34,900.00 and a letter of award has been received for the period of September 1, 2015, to July 30, 2017; and

WHEREAS, Grant funding will be deposited into 1123 40108 323 1000/445020.

NOW, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED:

- 1. The Nevada County Board of Supervisors accepts the grant funds as described in agreement EETAG1502 with CalEPA in the amount of \$34,900.00 for the period September 1, 2015, to July 30, 2017.
- 2. The Chair of the Board of Supervisors, or his/her designee, is authorized to execute in the name of the County of Nevada all grant documents, including but not limited to, applications, agreements, amendments, and requests for payment, necessary to secure grant funds and implement the approved grant project.