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NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: August 25, 2020

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: **Steve Monaghan – IGS – Emergency Services**

SUBJECT: Resolution approving a Memorandum of Understanding between the County of Nevada and Washington County Water District relating to public safety services in the amount of \$10,000 for FY 2020/21

RECOMMENDATION: Adopt the Resolution.

FUNDING: The disbursement will come from the Office of Emergency Services FY 2020/21 Budget and was anticipated during budget adoption. There is no budget amendment needed.

BACKGROUND:

As part of past and the current Nevada County Board Objectives, the Board of Supervisors has continued to “reduce the risk of local wildfire and the effects of wildfire on life, property and the environment by providing leadership and support to community partners, pursuing State and Federal funding, implementing county policies and programs, and assisting the public to be wildfire ready.” The County identified a need in the town of Washington to support the Washington County Water District’s Fire Department for public safety services. The Washington Fire Department responds to incidents within and around the town of Washington and along the South Yuba River that borders Washington. To support their response for fire, accidents, medical aid, public assistance, and other public service activities due to increased visitors to the South Yuba River and the surrounding areas the County will reimburse the District \$10,000.00. The grant period begins on July 1, 2020 and ends on June 30, 2021. The District will submit a report 60 days after the expiration of the MOU regarding public safety activities and information.

Item Initiated by: Elise Strickler

Item Approved by: Steve Monaghan