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NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: January 13, 2026

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Jesse Wilson

SUBJECT: Resolution accepting a California Department of Insurance Workers' Compensation Insurance Fraud Grant in the amount of \$60,203.00, for the period of July 1, 2025, through June 30, 2026, and authorizing the District Attorney, or their designee, to execute the grant agreement.

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt the attached Resolution.

FUNDING:

Funding is included in the District Attorney fiscal year 2025/26 budget and no amendment is needed.

BACKGROUND:

Under the direction of the Insurance Commissioner of the State of California, the California Department of Insurance administers the grant program and the distribution of funds for enhanced investigation and prosecution of workers' compensation insurance fraud by local district attorneys. The authority is granted to the Insurance Commissioner under Section 1872.83 of the California Insurance Code.

This is the thirteenth year the District Attorney's Office has been awarded this grant. A request for application was submitted to the Insurance Commissioner in April 2025. The District Attorney's Office presented the Nevada County Plan to the California Department of Insurance Worker's Compensation Grant Review Panel in June 2025. Based on the Review Panel's evaluation of each county Plan, the Panel forwards funding recommendations to the Commissioner. The recommendation of the review panel to the Insurance Commissioner was reviewed and approved to include Nevada County. The funds are available to District Attorney Offices in the State of California, including Nevada County.

The Board-approved resolution is required either at the time of application submission or, if awarded, must be submitted to the Department of Insurance by January 2, 2026. Due to the extended period between the award date and the submission deadline, this item was not routed

immediately and was unfortunately overlooked. Our office may not receive funding until the approved Board resolution is submitted. We have requested approval from the Department of Insurance for a late submission, with a proposed deadline of January 14, 2026.

Item Initiated by: Michelle Donovan

Approved by: Jesse Wilson

Submittal Date: December 30, 2025