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RE: Letter of Commitment

On behalf of Nevada County California, I am pleased to offer this letter of our ongoing commitment to creating an age-friendly environment. We are excited to join AARP's Age-Friendly Communities network. Nevada County is committed to becoming a livable community to promote health and sustainable growth and contribute to the well-being of citizens in all stages of life.

Nevada County has just completed our Master Plan on Aging Local Playbook and our plan promotes successful aging and improves the quality of life for all residents. There is great value in utilizing the AARP's Eight Domains of Livability in establishing a more age-friendly city: making outdoor spaces and buildings more senior friendly, increasing the accessibility and affordability of transportation and housing, increasing access and opportunities for social participation and inclusion through programs that promote ethnic and cultural diversity, supporting work and volunteer opportunities, access to communication and information, and supporting the ability of older people to age in place through community support and health services.

As a participant in the AARP and the World Health Organization [WHO] Age-Friendly Community it is the intent of Nevada County to:

- Engage all community members, especially older adults and adults living with a disability, to participate in our local workgroups to move our initiatives forward.
- Pursue outreach through churches, civic organizations, AARP, providers of aging services and host events designed for older people.
- Review our Action Plan outcomes to determine if we are meeting our intended goals and redirect when needed.
- Keep our community, especially older adults and adults living with a disability, informed throughout the process.

We look forward to working with AARP staff, members, and volunteers to make our County a place where we can all age with dignity.

Sincerely,

Hardy Bullock
Nevada County Board of Supervisors, Chair