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NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: December 11, 2018
TO: Board of Supervisors
FROM: **Michael Heggarty**
SUBJECT: Resolution Approving Adoption of the 10-year Strategic Plan to Address Homelessness

RECOMMENDATION: Approve adoption of the 10-year Strategic Plan to Address Homelessness.

FUNDING: Not Applicable. Funding was already approved in a previous Board item.

BACKGROUND:

Resolution 18-285, adopted June 6th of 2018 authorized Health and Human Services Agency to use No Place Like Home Technical Assistance funding to contract with Thurmond Consulting to update the County's 10-year strategic plan to address homelessness in Nevada County. The plan was developed between July and October and included a facilitated process of community engagement involving a wide array of community stakeholders. The plan meets the requirement that the County have such a plan in order to apply for NPLH funds set forth in the No Place Like Home program guidelines and similar requirements set forth in the Homeless Emergency Aid Program (HEAP) Notice of Funds Availability (NOFA). This plan updates and replaces the current 10-year Strategic plan (2009-2019).

In addition to meeting NPLH and HEAP requirements, this plan specifies goals, strategies, and activities to reduce and prevent homelessness and identifies sources of state and federal funding that can support activities laid out in the plan.

It is recommended the Board of Supervisors approves this 10-year strategic plan as it will fulfill the requirement for a such plan as it pertains to applying for NPLH and HEAP funds while giving guidance in future efforts to address homelessness in Nevada County.

Item Initiated by: Brendan Phillips, Housing Resource Manager, Health and Human Services Agency.

Approved by: Michael Heggarty, Health and Human Services Agency Director.