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NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: December 16, 2025

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Ryan Gruver, Health & Human Services Agency Director

SUBJECT: Resolution approving Amendment No. 1 to the Agreement between Partnership HealthPlan of California (“PLAN”) and the County of Nevada for Enhanced Care Management, as part of Nevada County’s participation in a Rate Range Intergovernmental Transfer (“IGT”): a revenue agreement whereby Nevada County retroactively receives federal financial participation Medi-Cal funds to cover unreimbursed costs for previously provided, mandated services. (RES. 23-564)

RECOMMENDATION: Approve the attached Resolution.

FUNDING: The Health and Human Services Agency will receive Medi-Cal revenue as a result of a transfer of patient care revenue to the Department of Health Care Services. That transfer will occur by November 21, 2025. This contract represents the revenue, estimated at \$1.8 million. Revenues and expenditures were included in the Fiscal Year 2025/2026 County Budget. No County General funds are required.

BACKGROUND: On December 5, 2023 per Resolution 23-564 Nevada County Board of Supervisors approved an Agreement between Partnership HealthPlan of California (“PLAN”) for Enhanced Care Management services. This amendment will allow Nevada County to participate in a Rate Range Intergovernmental Transfer (“IGT”). IGTs allow California counties that are covered by Medi-Cal managed care plans to secure federal matching funds to cover unreimbursed costs for services provided to Medi-Cal recipients.

DHCS will use the transfer amount of \$826,098 to increase the rate for services paid to Nevada County’s managed care plan, Partnership HealthPlan. Nevada County will also transfer \$165,220 to DHCS to cover the required administrative fee. As a result of the attached amendment to the MOU with Nevada County, Partnership HealthPlan pays the revenue it receives for participating

in the IGT to the County less up to 10% administrative fee. This payment represents an increased rate paid retroactively for services that Nevada County provided to Partnership HealthPlan members in the previous fiscal year. The total estimated new revenue received by the Partnership HealthPlan is \$1.8 million.

Through the IGT the County will be able to secure additional funds to cover costs that were previously subsidized by local government resources. Funds recovered through the IGT mechanism are discretionary as long as they are spent on health-related services. This amendment adds a new section and term to the contract.

It is recommended that the Board approve the attached Amendment that authorizes Nevada County to participate in the IGT for January 2024 - December 2024.

Approved by: Ryan Gruver, Health & Human Services Agency Director