



RESOLUTION No. _____

OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY, AND/OR THEIR DESIGNEE(S) TO APPLY FOR THE US DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE OFFICE ON VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN (OVW) GRANTS TO IMPROVE THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE RESPONSE (ICJR) PROGRAM FOR UP TO \$700,000 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2025/26 THROUGH 2027/28, AND TO AUTHORIZE THE DISTRICT ATTORNEY, AND/OR THEIR DESIGNEE(S) TO EXECUTE DOCUMENTS REQUIRED FOR THE APPLICATION

WHEREAS, the US Department of Justice Office on Violence Against Women has provided funds for the OVW Grants to Improve the Criminal Justice Response Program (ICJR program); and

WHEREAS, the ICJR Program supports coordinated community responses that provide services to victims of domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, and stalking; and

WHEREAS, victim/survivors of intimate partner violence in Nevada County face several barriers to accessing services, to include geographic isolation and transportation barriers, demonstrating a need for the services that would be provided by a Family Justice Center Program; and

WHEREAS, professionals within the Nevada County service provider community have long-identified the need for a centralized victim-services center and have recently mobilized to implement the vision; and

WHEREAS, funds from this program if awarded, would support our County in establishing and staffing a multidisciplinary Family Justice Center.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Nevada, State of California, that the Board of Supervisors hereby approves and authorizes the submittal of an application to the Grant to Improve the Criminal Justice Response Program for up to \$700,000, and authorizes the District Attorney, and/or their designee(s) to sign associated documents required for this application.