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**NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
Board Agenda Memo**

MEETING DATE: April 18th, 2023

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Jesse Wilson

SUBJECT: Resolution proclaiming April 23-29, 2023, as National Crime Victims' Rights Week in Nevada County

RECOMMENDATION:

Adopt the resolution

FUNDING:

Not Applicable

BACKGROUND:

National Crime Victims' Rights Week has been celebrated every year in April since 1981. This week is dedicated to education on victimization, the effect victimization has on individuals, families, friends, and the community, and to promote laws, policies, and programs to help victims of crime. Every year, thousands of communities across the nation honor the dedication of those before us that established victim rights and renew commitment to guarantee that all victims have the rights and services they need to recover from crime.

This year's theme is "Survivor Voices: Elevate. Engage. Effect Change." We celebrate the progress and look to a future of crime victim services that is even more inclusive, accessible, and trauma informed. In addition, this year's public outreach for National Crime Victims' Rights Week will include an information table outside the District Attorney's Office each day, advertising on County transit system buses and daily social media posts from April 23rd to April 29th.

By issuing this proclamation, the Nevada County Board of Supervisors will formally recognize the importance of having a victim service and criminal justice response that assists all victims of crime; acknowledges the work of the service providers; and recognizes the needs of our victims and survivors.

Item Initiated by: Denise Harben

Approved by: Jesse Wilson