



RESOLUTION No. _____

OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF A PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT WITH THE CALIFORNIA MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES AUTHORITY (CALMHSA) FOR PSYCHIATRIC INPATIENT CONCURRENT REVIEW IN THE MAXIMUM AMOUNT OF \$62,720 FOR THE TERM AUGUST 1, 2023 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2024 AND DIRECTS THE AUDITOR-CONTROLLER TO AMEND THE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH BUDGET FOR FISCAL YEAR 2023/24 (4/5 AFFIRMATIVE VOTE REQUIRED)

WHEREAS, Per the Department of Health Care Services Behavioral Health Information Notices (BHIN) 19-026 and BHIN 22-017, the Mental Health Plans (MHPs) are required to conduct concurrent review and authorization for all psychiatric inpatient hospital services and psychiatric health facility services; and

WHEREAS, California Mental Health Services Authority (CalMHSA) is a Joint Power Authority representing County Behavioral Health Departments under the authority of the Government Code; and

WHEREAS, CalMHSA contracted with Keystone Peer Review Organization, Inc., also known as Kepro, to conduct concurrent review and authorization of inpatient psychiatric hospital services on behalf of multiple California County MHPs; and

WHEREAS, CalMHSA will support Nevada County Behavioral Health in meeting the updated concurrent review and authorization requirements, as well as the tracking and reporting requirements.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Nevada, State of California, that the Participation Agreement by and between the California Mental Health Services Authority (CalMHSA), pertaining to the provision of concurrent review deliverables for the contract term of August 1, 2023 through December 31, 2024, in the maximum amount of \$62,720 be and hereby is approved, and that the Chair of the Board of Supervisors, be and is hereby authorized to execute the Agreement and any necessary documents in connection on behalf of the County of Nevada and authorizes and directs the Auditor-Controller to release \$31,360 fund balance in Fund 1589 and amend Behavioral Health's budget as follows:

Expenditure: 1589-40103-493-1000 / 521520 \$31,360