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

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**MEETING DATE:** December 11, 2018  
**TO:** Board of Supervisors  
**FROM:** **Phebe Bell**  
**SUBJECT:** Resolution approving execution of a renewal Contract for Services with the County of Placer for the provision of Telephone Triage Services for Placer County Adult System of Care (ASOC) and Children's System of Care (CSOC) in the maximum amount payable of \$652,788 for the term of July 1, 2018 through June 30, 2019.

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**RECOMMENDATION:** Approve the attached Resolution.

**FUNDING:** this is a revenue Agreement whereby Placer County pays Nevada County Behavioral Health Department a monthly rate as full payment for each full month during which Telephone Triage Services are provided. Revenue was anticipated and planned for in the Department budget and there are no county general funds required in the Agreement. No budget amendment is required at this time.

**BACKGROUND:** Under this renewal Contract, Nevada County, through a contract with Auburn Counseling Services, Inc., is agreeing to continue to provide Telephone Triage Services for the Placer County Adult System of Care with regard to Adult Protective Service referrals, Public Guardian referrals, Mental Health referrals for adults, Substance Use Disorder referrals for adults, and 5150 referrals for adults, children and youth. Additionally, Telephone Triage Services will be provided for the Children's System of Care with regard to Mental Health and Substance Use Disorder referrals for children and youth as well as telephone answering services for after-hour Child Welfare Service referrals and emergency calls.

It is respectfully recommended that the Board of Supervisors approve this renewal Contract, which serves to strengthen and promote the mutual working relationship between Placer and Nevada Counties.

**Item Initiated and Approved by: Phebe Bell, MSW, Behavioral Health Director**