



# Information and General Services Agency

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## NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Board Agenda Memo

**MEETING DATE:** June 9, 2020

**TO:** Board of Supervisors

**FROM:** Steve Monaghan – IGS-Emergency Management

**SUBJECT:** Resolution approving a License Agreement with Pacific Gas and Electric Company for use of the Madelyn Helling Library Gene Albaugh Community Room as community resource center and staging area during Public Safety Power Shutoff Events (PSPS) for a term of sixty-six months and authorizing the Director of Facilities Management to sign the License Agreement (Facilities Management)

**RECOMMENDATION:** Adopt the Resolution

**FUNDING:** Revenue will be received into the Library budget.

**BACKGROUND:**

The nature, frequency, and number of wildfire events have escalated dramatically across California. The state is experiencing more wildfires, more frequently, and of significantly larger size. For public safety Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) has enacted Public Safety Power Shutoff Events (PSPS Event) when environmental conditions exist that will create extreme fire danger. Nevada County would like to partner with Pacific Gas and Electric Company (PG&E) in connection with PSPS Events related to wildfire prevention by making available the Madelyn Helling Library Gene Albaugh Community Room as community resource center and staging area during PSPS Events.

By entering into the License Agreement, we hope to achieve one of the Priority A Objectives of the Board of Supervisors 2020 Board Objectives adopted in February 2020 through Resolution 20-041 to “Provide community leadership to prepare for and minimize the impacts of Public Safety Power Shutoff (PSPS) events on residents and local businesses by providing timely and accurate public information, prioritizing and advocating for the hardening of critical public safety and telecommunications infrastructure, and assisting medically vulnerable populations.”

We are requesting that the Director of Facilities Management be authorized to execute this License Agreement for a term of sixty-six months with a commencement date of June 30, 2020 and ending on December 30, 2025. PG&E will provide and locate a generator onsite at the location in June and remove the generator before the end of the calendar year of each term. It is anticipated that PG&E will use the facility as PSPS events as they occur for periods of approximately two (2) to ten (10) days at a time (Use Days) for a Use Day fee of \$250 per day for the Madelyn Helling Library Gene Albaugh Community Room.

**Item Initiated by:** Justin Drinkwater

**Approved by:** Steve Monaghan