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

MEETING DATE: June 28, 2022
TO: Board of Supervisors
FROM: **Trisha Tillotson, Community Development Agency Director**
SUBJECT: Resolution Amending Resolution 11-520 pertaining to parking violation penalties of various locations for reasons of public safety

RECOMMENDATION: Adopt the attached Resolution amending Resolution 11-520 pertaining to parking violation penalties of various recommended locations for reasons of public safety.

FUNDING: None

BACKGROUND:

Illegal parking has been identified as a major public safety issue at various locations throughout the county in the last four years since the Board's last action to amend Resolution 11-520 adopted on November 8, 2011 to provide increased illegal parking penalties at Purdon Crossing and Edwards Crossing along the South Yuba River per Resolution 18-238 adopted on June 12, 2018. Since such time, law enforcement agencies, fire authorities, recreational providers (federal, state, and local), and stakeholder coalitions including the Yuba River Public Safety Cohort and The CCC (Convene, Catalyst, and Champion) Initiative, have identified thirteen (13) areas throughout the county where increased and continued illegal parking provide a public safety threat. Specifically, vehicles parked illegally narrow the roads right-a-way to the extent that emergency response vehicles are blocked and unable to pass. In addition, illegally parked vehicles negatively impact the environment and raise public safety concerns with the public walking on the narrow roads to recreation and other sites of interest.

To mitigate the hazards, the attached Resolution amends the Nevada County Parking, Equipment, Registration Violation Penalty Schedule per Resolution 11-520 to include a

base fine amount of \$150 for illegal parking at the identified locations. Per California Vehicle Code 40203.5 the Nevada County Board of Supervisors may establish a schedule of parking penalties to be collected as civil penalties. The fine amount is consistent with other jurisdictional fines of the same nature and purpose. Moreover, the attached Resolution also provides further clarification on the site locations at Purdon and Edward Crossing for the purpose to prevent site ambiguity. Therefore, staff recommend the Board adopt the attached Resolution.

Approved and Initiated by: Trisha Tillotson

Submittal Date: June 13, 2022

Revision Date: