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

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**MEETING DATE:** April 12<sup>th</sup>, 2022  
**TO:** Board of Supervisors  
**FROM:** Jesse Wilson  
**SUBJECT:** Resolution proclaiming April 24-30, 2022 as National Crime Victims' Rights Week in Nevada County

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**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 learn about 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 "Rights, access, equity, for all victims." 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 daily interviews on KNCO and daily social media posts from April 24<sup>th</sup> to April 30<sup>th</sup>.

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:** Michelle Durkin

**Approved by:** Jesse Wilson