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

**MEETING DATE:** May 25, 2021  
**TO:** Board of Supervisors  
**FROM:** Trisha Tillotson, Director of Public Works  
**SUBJECT:** Resolution Authorizing Submittal of Regional Applications for All CalRecycle Grants for which Nevada County is Eligible

**RECOMMENDATION:** Approve the attached Resolution.

**FUNDING:** CalRecycle grants are State funded and support recycling and diversion programs. Funding will affect the Solid Waste Western Budget. A budget amendment is not needed and there will be no impact to the County General Fund.

**BACKGROUND:** The Department of Resources Recycling and Recovery (CalRecycle) administers various grant programs in furtherance of the State of California's efforts to reduce, recycle and reuse solid waste generated in the state thereby preserving landfill capacity and protecting public health and safety and the environment. CalRecycle grant application procedures require, among other things, an applicant's governing body to declare by resolution certain authorizations related to the administration of CalRecycle grants. On March 14<sup>th</sup>, 2017, Per Resolution 17-118, the Board of Supervisors authorized the Department of Public Works to apply for eligible grants on behalf of the County.

This resolution would authorize the Director of the Department of Public Works, or his/her designee, to submit and administer regional applications for CalRecycle grants for which the County is eligible. Regional applications are submitted in coordination with other jurisdictions such as the City of Grass Valley. Examples of available grant funding through CalRecycle includes beverage container recycling, organics, household hazardous waste, used oil, and tire diversion programs. This funding would be used to enhance existing regional programs.

**Item Initiated by:** David A. Garcia, Jr., Solid Waste Program Manager  
**Approved by:** Trisha Tillotson, Director of Public Works

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