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

MEETING DATE: May 25, 2021

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Clifford Newell

SUBJECT: Resolution to administer the special appropriation bank account for the Nevada County District Attorney's Office.

RECOMMENDATION:
Adopt the resolution

FUNDING:
The funding for this account is from the County's General Fund. It is part of the District Attorney's annual budget.

BACKGROUND:
Section 29400-29408 of the Government Code of the State of California regulates the use of special appropriation funds for the District Attorney's Office. This fund is used for expenses incurred in criminal cases or the detection of crime. The expenses from this fund include witness per diem, reimbursement, and certified documents required for the prosecution of criminal court cases.

The use of the special bank account has increased dramatically since the Resolution 97-115 was adopted in 1997. The Nevada County District Attorney's Office would like to increase this account to a maximum of \$5,000.00 from the current \$2,500.00.

The bank for this fund changed from Bank of America to Bank of the West when the County of Nevada moved their treasury funds.

Item Initiated by: Denise Harben

Approved by: Clifford Newell