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**NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

**Board Agenda Memo**

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**MEETING DATE:** February 27, 2024

**TO:** Board of Supervisors

**FROM:** Rachel Peña

**SUBJECT:** Resolution approving execution of Amendment No. 1 to a Contract with Nevada Sierra Connecting Point Public Authority to increase the maximum contract price from \$878,212 to \$941,845 (an increase of \$63,630) and to extend the contract termination date to September 30, 2024.

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**RECOMMENDATION:** Approve the attached Resolution.

**FUNDING:** Funding for this agreement is from the California Volunteers for Youth Workforce Development Program per Resolution Number 22-315 approved by the Nevada County Board of Supervisors on June 28, 2022. The funding will go through September 30, 2024. There will be no General Funds required.

**BACKGROUND:** On August 9, 2022, per Resolution 22-423, the Nevada County Board of Supervisors approved execution of the Professional Services Contract with Nevada Sierra Connecting Point Public Authority for the purpose of this initiative is to increase youth employment, develop youth interest in and experience towards a career, and to strengthen capacity to address key areas of climate, food insecurity, and local COVID-19 recovery. Nevada County's program will recruit, train, and place high-need youth at jobs in these key areas within our community. Nevada Sierra Connecting Point Public Authority employs 50 youth over the life of this contract and will provide training, support, and direct supportive services to ensure best future outcomes and success of the youth served. Nevada Sierra Connecting Point Public Authority works in collaboration with Bright Futures for Youth to create and/or further develop existing partnerships with prospective employers in both Western and Eastern County.

It is recommended that the Board approve this amendment to extend the contract to September 30, 2024, and to approve the modified budget, which increases the maximum price to \$941,845. This contract is being increased along with the extension so that we can serve more youth and provide more services to the community.

**Item Initiated and Approved by:** Rachel Peña, LCSW Director of Social Services