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NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: March 26, 2024

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: **Phebe Bell**

SUBJECT: Resolution authorizing execution of Amendment 2 to the Participation Agreement with the California Mental Health Services Authority (CalMHSA) for the Behavioral Health Quality Improvement Program to clarify the application of the CalMHSA administrative fee (RES 22-363) (RES 23-125).

RECOMMENDATION: Approve the attached Resolution.

FUNDING: Contract services are funded with Behavioral Health Quality Improvement Program (BH-QIP) funding received from the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS). There is no change to contract maximum. There are no County general fund dollars required in the agreement.

BACKGROUND: On July 12, 2022 per Resolution 22-363, the Nevada County Board of Supervisors approved execution of Participation Agreement with the California Mental Health Services Authority (CalMHSA) for the Behavioral Health Quality Improvement Program. This item was subsequently amended on March 28, 2023 per Resolution 23-125 to adjust hourly rates and budget within the existing contract maximum.

This amendment clarifies that only those funds that are rendered and paid from the flexible spending account for this project is subject to the 15% administrative fee, as opposed to NCBH being responsible for the entire administrative fee regardless of contract utilization.

BH-QIP is part of the California Advancing and Innovating Medi-Cal (CalAIM). CalMHSA is

providing support in meeting the milestones and deliverables related to implementation of payment reform, data exchange with the State and implementing policy changes.

It is recommended that the Board approve this Amendment, to provide Nevada County with the necessary administrative support to achieve the CalAIM BHQIP milestones and deliverables.

Item Initiated and Approved by: Phebe Bell, MSW, Director of Behavioral Health