



# **RESOLUTION No. \_\_\_\_\_**

## **OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA**

### **RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE NEVADA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE TO CONTRACT WITH RADCO CONSTRUCTION TO DESIGN AND BUILD A DISPATCH RADIO TOWER IN THE AMOUNT OF \$495,900 PLUS A \$49,590 CONTINGENCY FOR A TOTAL NOT TO EXCEED AMOUNT OF \$545,490 FOR THE CONTRACT TERM OF OCTOBER 14, 2025 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2026**

WHEREAS, the Nevada County Sheriff's Office desires to maintain security and safety for the Public and its Law Enforcement Officers; and

WHEREAS, it is acknowledged that radio communications are a critical component of public safety in both normal and emergency operations; and

WHEREAS, the Sheriff's Office is in the process of replacing and upgrading its current radio systems inclusive of mobile vehicle radios, handheld radios, and radio tower systems in a phased approach; and

WHEREAS the Sheriff's Office has obtained Congressionally Directed Funding in the amount of \$4,800,000 towards the cost of this project; and

WHEREAS, on December 13, 2022, via Resolution 22-608, the Board authorized Phase 1 of the Sheriff's Office radio infrastructure improvement project, which consisted of replacing mobile vehicle radios and handheld radios along with associated equipment with appropriate Motorola products in the amount of \$1,600,000; and

WHEREAS, on August 6, 2024, via Resolution 24-438 and 24-439, the Board approved two Communications System and Services Agreements with Motorola for the purchase of \$2,479,352 (Phase 2) and \$317,968 (Phase 3) for Motorola equipment and services for the radio infrastructure improvement project and identified this equipment as capital assets of the County of Nevada; and

WHEREAS, on August 6, 2024, via Resolution 24-437, the Board approved joining the State of California Office of Emergency Services (OES) Public Safety Communications (PSC) California Radio Interoperable System (CRIS) whereby Nevada County will lease, at no cost, radio equipment to the State; and

WHEREAS, it has been determined by the Sheriff's Office that an additional radio tower is required to enhance radio communications in Nevada County and is to be located at the Nevada County Regional Dispatch Center; and

WHEREAS, it is recommended that RADCO Construction be awarded as the Design-Build Contractor for the project with contract amount of \$495,900 plus a \$49,590 contingency for a total not to exceed cost of \$545,490; and

WHEREAS, the cost for the design and construction of the Dispatch Radio Tower will be funded by the use of Sheriff Special Revenues including Fund 1171 (Rural Counties) and Fund 1642 (COPS).

THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, by the Nevada County Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County of Nevada, that:

- 1) The contract is approved and awarded to RADCO Construction, of Carson City, Nevada for the Design-Build of the Dispatch Radio Tower in the amount of \$495,900 plus a \$49,590 contingency for a total not-to-exceed amount of \$545,490; and
- 2) The Board Chair is authorized to execute the Design-Build contract on behalf of Nevada County with RADCO Construction upon receipt, approval, and acceptance from Risk Management and County Counsel of the certificates of insurance and bonds.