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## NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Board Agenda Memo

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**MEETING DATE:** February 11, 2025

**TO:** Board of Supervisors

**FROM:** **Alex Keeble-Toll, Interim Director of Emergency Services**

**SUBJECT:** Resolution approving acceptance of the Fiscal Year 2024 Homeland Security Grant Program from the California Governor's Office of Emergency Services funded through the U.S. Department of Homeland Security in the amount of \$159,879 for use during the period September 1, 2024 through May 31, 2027, retroactively authorizing the Director of Emergency Services to execute the grant agreement and all additional documents required to fulfill the requirements of the grant on the behalf of the County of Nevada

**RECOMMENDATION:** Adopt the Resolution

**FUNDING:** The Fiscal Year 2024 Homeland Security Grant Program (HSGP) grant is for \$159,879 and will be received in the Office of Emergency Services budget in the fiscal year in which expenditures are incurred. A budget amendment is not required and there is no further impact on the General Fund.

**BACKGROUND:** Resolution 24-149 authorized the Nevada County Director of Emergency Services to apply for the FY 2024 Homeland Security Grant Program. This grant application was approved by the Governor's Office of Emergency Services for \$159,879 and will be used primarily to purchase first responder equipment and associated training.

In accordance with the California Supplement to the Federal Program Guidance and Application, an Anti-Terrorism Approval Body (Approval Authority) was appointed consisting of representatives from the Nevada County Public Health Department, County Fire Chief or Chief of Fire Authority, Municipal Fire Chief, Nevada County Sheriff, and Chief of Police, to develop a grant expenditure plan and to have final approval on projects submitted as part of the grant application.

Equipment purchased utilizing HSGP funds will be used and housed by emergency responder agencies throughout Nevada County. The training provided through this grant will ensure that first responders and other emergency response

personnel are trained in the National Incident Management System Standard (NIMS) as required by the federal government.

**Item Initiated by:** Lorie Hennessey, OES Administrative Analyst II

**Approved by:** Alex Keeble-Toll, Interim Director of Emergency Services