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## **NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

**Board Agenda Memo** 

**MEETING DATE:** June 24, 2025

**TO:** Board of Supervisors

FROM: Nick Wilczek, County Librarian

**SUBJECT:** Resolution approving an Agreement between the County of Nevada and the

San Juan Ridge Community Library to support operation of the San Juan Ridge Community Library in the amount of \$196,000 for the period July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2027 and authorizing the Chair of the Board of Supervisors to

execute the Agreement.

**RECOMMENDATION:** Adopt the Resolution.

**<u>FUNDING</u>**: Costs for operational support to the San Juan Ridge Community Library were included in the Library's 2025/26 proposed budget. All costs associated with this Agreement are to be paid from the Library Fund and there is no impact on the General Fund.

## **BACKGROUND:**

The San Juan Ridge Community Library (SJRCL) was established at its current location on Oak Tree Road in 2012. SJRCL was originally run by volunteers and financially supported by fundraising and donations. The library serves more than 700 library cardholders by loaning materials, offering programs and giving free access to the public computers and the internet. The North San Juan area has been recognized by the County Library as an underserved area for at least sixteen years. Approving this Resolution will continue the formal collaboration begun in Fiscal Year 2017/18 between the Nevada County Community Library and the San Juan Ridge Community Library. The County Library will continue to provide assistance in other ways, such as collaborating on programs and services, access to library database software, and internet services.

The resolution before you requests approval of the Agreement between the County of Nevada and the San Juan Ridge Community Library in the amount of \$196,000 (\$98,000 each fiscal year), effective July 1, 2025 through June 30, 2027, authorizing the Chair of the Board of Supervisors to execute the Agreement.

Item Initiated and Approved by: Nick Wilczek, County Librarian