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NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: September 12, 2017

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: **Mike Dent**

SUBJECT: Resolution approving Nevada County's annual Match Contribution funding pursuant to the Area 4 Agency on Aging Joint Powers Agreement in the maximum amount of \$30,727 for FY 2017/18.

RECOMMENDATION: Approve the attached Resolution.

FUNDING: The funds are within the Adult Services Department's fiscal year 2017/18 budget, and no budget amendment is needed. A portion of Matching Contribution funds are County General dollars and are included in the department's annual General Fund allocation.

BACKGROUND:

Per Resolution 83-80, the Board of Supervisors approved a Joint Powers Agreement (JPA) between seven California Counties (Nevada, Placer, Sierra, Sutter, Sacramento, Yolo, and Yuba) pertaining to participation in the seven-county JPA for the new Area 4 Agency on Aging (A4AA). Participation in this JPA is for the purpose of sponsoring A4AA to implement the Older Americans Act (OAA) as amended, which provides that each state shall establish aging service areas and each such area shall have an area agency on aging for that area. The JPA sponsors an organizational and administrative structure for the operation of this area-wide agency on aging encompassing the geographical territory of the parties to the JPA.

A4AA works tirelessly to provide critical services for our aging population within Nevada County. Financial support from Nevada County, as well as the other six counties who are parties to the JPA, ensures the quality and content of A4AA's services does not suffer.

It is estimated that in FY 2017/18, A4AA will receive and administer \$695,550 in Federal and State grants for nutrition, transportation, legal assistance, information and assistance, ombudsmen and other supportive services in Nevada County. Continued funding is

contingent upon meeting the minimum match requirements which are estimated to be \$30,727 for Nevada County in FY 2017/18.

It is recommended the Board approve the attached resolution as without sufficient match contribution funding, A4AA will not be able to provide the services desperately needed by Nevada County's older adult community.

Item Initiated and Approved by: Mike Dent, MPA, Director of Social Services