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**NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**  
**Board Agenda Memo**

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**MEETING DATE:** August 10, 2021

**TO:** Board of Supervisors

**FROM:** Nevada County Clerk-Recorder/Registrar of Voters

**SUBJECT:** Resolution requesting consolidation of the Truckee Fire Protection District Special Tax Election with the September 14, 2021 California Gubernatorial Recall Election

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**RECOMMENDATION:** Approve the Resolution.

**FUNDING:** The Truckee Fire Protection District shall reimburse the County for their prorated share of costs incurred by the County Elections official. (Cal. Elec. Code §10520). The Truckee Fire Protection District will also reimburse the County for any labor costs incurred while planning the August 31, 2021 Truckee Fire Protection District Special Tax Election, as required by California Elections Code section 10002.

**BACKGROUND:**

Elections Code section 10002 provides that the governing body of any city or district may, by resolution, request the County Board of Supervisors to direct the County Elections Official to render specified elections services.

On May 11, 2021, the Nevada County Board of Supervisors adopted Resolution 21-146, approving the Truckee Fire Protection District's request to have the Nevada County Registrar of Voters administer a Special Fire Tax Election to be held August 31, 2021.

On June 28, 2021, the California State Legislature passed Senate Bill 152, which permits any special district that called for a special election to consolidate with the recall election, under the following conditions:



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*1605. (f) Notwithstanding any other law, if the Lieutenant Governor issues a proclamation calling a gubernatorial recall election, a district, city, or other political subdivision that previously called a special local election that has not yet been conducted for the submission of any question, proposition, or office to be filled may call that special local election to be consolidated with the gubernatorial recall election if all of the following conditions are met:*

- (1) The special local election was called prior to June 15, 2021.*
- (2) The original date on which the special local election was called is not more than 30 days before and not more than 30 days after the date of the gubernatorial recall election.*
- (3) The call to consolidate the special local election with the gubernatorial recall election is issued within four days from the date of issuance of the Lieutenant Governor's proclamation.*

On July 1, 2021, the Lieutenant Governor of California issued a proclamation calling for the recall election of Governor Gavin Newsom on September 14, 2021.

On July 2, 2021, the Truckee Fire Protection District called an emergency meeting and signed Resolution 12-2021, requesting to consolidate the Special Fire District Election originally scheduled for August 31, 2021 with the September 14, 2021 California Gubernatorial Recall Election. The District delivered an electronic copy of the signed resolution on July 2, 2021 and provided the original to the Nevada County Registrar of Voters quickly afterward.

The Truckee Fire Protection District, which includes both Nevada and Placer Counties, will also have this same Special Tax Election appear on ballots administered in Placer County.

To provide election services, the Nevada County Board of Supervisors must authorize the Nevada County Clerk-Recorder/Registrar of Voters to perform the functions requested by the Truckee Fire Protection District.

**Item Initiated by:** Natalie Adona  
**Approved by:** Gregory J. Diaz

Submittal Date: July 26, 2021

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