NEVADA COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE



KEITH ROYAL SHERIFF/CORONER PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR

NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: February 13, 2018

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Keith Royal, Sheriff-Coroner-Public Administrator

SUBJECT: Resolution authorizing execution of a renewal Agreement with the

California Department of Boating and Waterways for reimbursement of boating safety and enforcement costs for FY

18/19

RECOMMENDATION: Adopt Resolution

<u>FUNDING</u>: This discretionary funding is for FY 18/19 and will impact the Sheriff's Operations Budget in the amount of \$96,674. These funds will be budgeted and there will be no impact to the General Fund.

BACKGROUND: The attached resolution and Agreement are required by the California Department of Boating and Waterways for participation in the state assisted programs for boating safety and enforcement. It provides a maximum of \$96,674 in funding to reimburse the Sheriff's Office for costs related to the Boating Safety and Enforcement Program for FY 2018-2019. The grant application was submitted per the authority granted by BOS Resolution 17-563.

The Sheriff's Office has participated in this enforcement program for over forty years. The Program allows the Sheriff's Office to assign specially trained officers to patrol the county's waterways, throughout the summer months when the number of visitors to the area is at its peak. Funds received from this program and a portion of the personal property tax assessed on boats pay the cost of deputies' salaries and benefits, boats, training, maintenance, and other Program related costs. Without this financial support, there would be only emergency enforcement of watercraft law or boating safety regulations on our county lakes.

Initiated and Approved by: Keith Royal