

RESOLUTION No.____

OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

RESOLUTION APPROVING A BUDGET AMENDMENT TO THE NEVADA COUNTY OFFICE OF EMERGENCY SERVICES FISCAL YEAR 2025/26 BUDGET INCREASING THE FUNDING FOR THE ROADSIDE VEGETATION AND COMMUNITY GREEN WASTE PROGRAM, AUTHORIZING THE CHAIR OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS TO EXECUTE THE AMENDMENT, DIRECTING THE AUDITOR CONTROLLER TO RELEASE \$215,410 FROM THE GENERAL FUND BOARD PRIORITIES ASSIGNMENT, AND DIRECTING THE AUDITOR CONTROLLER TO AMEND THE FISCAL YEAR 2025/26 EMERGENCY SERVICES BUDGET (4/5 AFFIRMATIVE VOTE REQUIRED)

WHEREAS, the County of Nevada has a severe and present danger from wildfire; and

WHEREAS, residents of Nevada County have referenced the high cost of green waste disposal as a barrier for accomplishing the development of defensible space; and

WHEREAS, the Roadside Vegetation and Community Green Waste Program offers financial relief to residents developing defensible space around their homes and roadways and has been widely utilized by the Nevada County community; and

WHEREAS, free residential green waste disposal, utilized in tandem with other methods and programs such as residential debris burning, prescribed fire, chipping, composting, and grants to help private property owners treat their land and supports the Board of Supervisors' and the Office of Emergency Services' shared goal to reduce the threat of wildfire in the County; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors issued policy direction on March 25, 2025 on priority objective charters, including funding an additional \$215,410 for the Roadside Vegetation and Community Green Waste Program in the fiscal year 2025/26 Emergency Services Budget.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by a four-fifths affirmative vote, that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Nevada, State of California, increases the Nevada County Office of Emergency Services fiscal year 2025/26 budget for the Roadside Vegetation and the Community Green Waste Program, authorizes the Chair of the Board of Supervisors to execute the Amendment, directs the Auditor-Controller to release \$215,410 from the General Fund Board Priorities Assignment, and directs the Auditor-Controller to amend the fiscal year 2025/26 Office of Emergency Services Budget as follows:

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\$215,410.00