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NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: August 9, 2022

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Rachel Peña

SUBJECT: Resolution approving execution of a Contract with Nevada Sierra Connecting Point Public Authority for the provision of Youth Workforce Development activities in Western and Eastern Nevada County in the maximum amount of \$878,212 for the term of July 1, 2022, through April 30, 2024 and authorizing and directing the Auditor-Controller to amend the Social Services Department's Budget for Fiscal Year 2022/23 (4/5 Affirmative Vote Required).

RECOMMENDATION: Approve the attached Resolution.

FUNDING: Funding for this agreement is from the California Volunteers for Youth Workforce Development Program per Resolution Number 22-315 approved by the Nevada County Board of Supervisors on June 28, 2022. The funding will go through April 30, 2024. There will be no General Funds required. A budget amendment is required and is included in this Resolution.

BACKGROUND: Youth Workforce Program is a Governor's initiative administered by California Volunteers in partnership with Nevada County and several other municipalities across California. The purpose of this initiative is to increase youth employment, develop youth interest in and experience towards a career, and to strengthen capacity to address key areas of climate, food insecurity, and local COVID-19 recovery. Nevada County's program will recruit, train, and place high-need youth at jobs in these key areas within our community. Nevada Sierra Connecting Point Public Authority will employ 50 youth over the life of this contract and will provide training, support, and direct supportive services to ensure best future outcomes and success of the youth served. Nevada Sierra Connecting Point Public Authority will also work in collaboration with Bright Futures for Youth to create and/or further develop existing partnerships with prospective employers in both Western and Eastern County.

It is recommended that the Board approve this contract.

Item Initiated and Approved by: Rachel Peña, LCSW Director of Social Services