

RESOLUTION No.____

OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A BUDGET EXPENDITURE OF \$37,517.25 FOR AN INCIDENTAL TAKE PERMIT FEE FOR THE DOG BAR ROAD BRIDGE OVER THE BEAR RIVER PROJECT- DISTRICT II.

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Works plans to replace the structurally deficient bridge on Dog Bar Road that crosses the Bear River as shown in the 2022 Capital Improvement Plan; and

WHEREAS, as part of the environmental requirements for the California Environmental Quality Act an Initial Study with Mitigated Negative Declaration (IS/MND) was completed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors on 6/22/2021 by Res 21-268; and

WHEREAS, the IS/MND determined that the project will have a less that significant impacts with mitigation for the northeast/northern Sierra clade of the foothill yellow-legged frog (FYLF) with is state listed as a threatened species; and

WHEREAS, through a consultation with the California Department of Fish and Wildlife (CDFW) about potential project related impacts to the FYLF it has been determined that an Incidental Take Permit-2081 for the FYLF will be required; and

WHEREAS, for the size of the project and permit type the current 2023 permit fee as published by CDFW is \$37,517.25 and is due upon application submittal, see Exhibit A for fee schedule; and

WHEREAS, sufficient budget is available to fund this expenditure in Road Capital Improvement.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Nevada County Board of supervisors authorizes the budget expenditure in the amount of \$37,517.25 for an Indicental Take Permit fee for the Dog Bar Road Bridge over the Bear River and authorizes the Auditor Controller to encumber the funds to:

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