

## **RESOLUTION** No.

## OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

## **RESOLUTION ADOPTING AND IMPLEMENTING A COUNTYWIDE ENTERPRISE INFORMATION SECURITY PROGRAM**

WHEREAS, significant threats and massive data breaches make front-page news on a regular basis, leaving governments, businesses, and citizens concerned about the safety of their data; and

WHEREAS, the County of Nevada is the custodian of confidential, protected, and sensitive data stored on a large number and wide variety of information technology systems, and relies on these systems to deliver critical community services to our residents 24/7/365; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Information Officer briefed the Board of Supervisors at the Board's 2016 annual workshop on the state of the County's cybersecurity and stated that a formal information security program was necessary and would be forthcoming; and

WHEREAS, the Chief Information Officer has recommended, and the Information System Steering Board has approved, the adoption of a countywide Enterprise Information Security Program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors:

- 1. Formally adopts the countywide Enterprise Information Security Program as presented.
- 2. Directs all County departments and offices, senior executives and elected officials to:
  - a. be knowledgeable of the Enterprise Information Security Program;
  - b. actively participate in the execution of the program's components; and
  - c. actively pursue their specific roles and responsibilities as described in the Program and as referenced in *Exhibit 2 Information Security Program Statement*.
- 3. Authorizes the Chief Information Officer, working with the Information Systems Steering Board, to adjust and modify the Enterprise Information Security Program as needed to keep pace with organizational needs and industry cybersecurity best practices.
- 4. Directs the Chief Information Officer to provide the Board with an annual status report on this Program and the County's overall cybersecurity state.