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Matt Cate
Executive Director
California State Association of Counties

Dear Mr. Cate,

Nevada County would like to invite CSAC, in partnership with the Pew-MacArthur Results First Initiative, to assist with a program inventory of their adult criminal justice programs. Further, we are writing to affirm support of and commitment to the participation of Nevada County with CSAC in partnership with the Pew-MacArthur Results First Initiative. I understand that through this partnership the County will gain a better understanding of the available evidence associated with programs currently being implemented in the County and other evidence based and evidence informed programs that could be considered for implementation.

Nevada County's goals for Results First are:

- Develop a comprehensive list of programing available in the community for justice involved individuals.
- Match available programing and what works by using the Results First Clearinghouse.
- Use the results to identify any service gaps in the community.
- Use the results to identify any service overlap in the community.
- Use the Results First Clearinghouse to develop effective programing in the institutions and the community.
- Use the information from the programing inventory to make funding decisions so that we can maximize scarce resources by getting the best return on investment.

This new partnership will contribute to the vision The Board of Supervisors seek to support the Community Corrections Partnership (CCP) in prudent policy and budget decisions. This partnership will help create a baseline of currently funded programs to better understand our county's needs. We look forward to building on our past success as we leverage your expertise to make the services provided to our residents more effective. Thank you for extending this exciting opportunity to Nevada County.

Sincerely,

Hank Weston
Chairman, Board of Supervisors

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