



RESOLUTION No. _____
OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ENVIRONMENTAL
CLEARANCE FOR EMERGENCY REPAIR OF PLEASANT
VALLEY ROAD**

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Works is responsible for the maintenance of County-maintained roadways, and Pleasant Valley Road being a County-maintained roadway; and

WHEREAS, numerous areas of Pleasant Valley Road, from Bitney Springs Road to Buttermilk Bend, sustained slide damage across the road's drainage ditches into the road travel way due to excessive rains in January 2017; and

WHEREAS, the Department of Public Works plans to return the roadway to a clean and functional condition by removing debris from the roadway and roadside ditches; and

WHEREAS, local road funds are available for this work, and application will be made for reimbursement through FEMA and Cal OES given that the damage occurred during qualifying emergency event periods; and

WHEREAS, under Section 15269(d) of the State of California Environmental Quality Act Guidelines, emergency public roadway projects needed to repair damage from storms and earth movement are statutorily exempt from environmental review; and

WHEREAS, the work will be funded with local road maintenance funds for Fiscal Year 2017/18, budget code 1114-30107-703-1000-521120.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Nevada County Board of Supervisors hereby approves the proposed Pleasant Valley Road emergency repair work described herein and authorizes the Nevada County Director of the Department of Public Works to file a Notice of Exemption with the Nevada County Clerk's Office for the Pleasant Valley Road emergency repairs.