



RESOLUTION No. 17-168

OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

RESOLUTION EXPRESSING APPROVAL AND SUPPORT FOR THE DESIGNATION OF A PORTION OF STATE ROUTE 89 IN NEVADA COUNTY AS UNITED STATES BIKE ROUTE 85

WHEREAS, bicycle tourism is a growing industry in North America, contributing \$47 billion a year to the economies of communities that provide facilities for such tourists; and

WHEREAS, Nevada County will benefit from both the economic opportunities and health related benefits associated with bicycle tourism; and

WHEREAS, the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO) has designated a corridor crossing Nevada County to be developed as United States Bike Route 85 (USBR 85), and

WHEREAS, the proposed route for USBR 85 utilizes a section of State Route 89 between the Town of Truckee and the northern county line, and can therefore provide a benefit to our residents, visitors, and businesses, and

WHEREAS, this section of State Route 89 is depicted as a proposed class II and class III bicycle route in the Nevada County Bicycle Master Plan.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Nevada, California, hereby expresses its approval and support for the development of United States Bike Route 85 through the County of Nevada, requests that the appropriate officials designate the proposed route for USBR 85 as recommended by AASHTO, and supports the installation of appropriate signage identifying the location of said route in and through the County of Nevada once the official designation has been made.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Nevada at a regular meeting of said Board, held on the 11th day of April, 2017, by the following vote of said Board:

Ayes: Supervisors Heidi Hall, Edward Scofield, Dan Miller, Hank Weston and Richard Anderson.

Noes: None.

Absent: None.

Abstain: None.

ATTEST:

JULIE PATTERSON HUNTER
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: Julie Patterson Hunter

Hank Weston
Hank Weston, Chair