

# COUNTY OF NEVADA COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT AGENCY

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### NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Board Agenda Memo

**MEETING DATE:** January 09, 2018

**TO:** Board of Supervisors

**FROM:** Amy Irani, Environmental Health Director

**SUBJECT:** Resolution accepting a grant from the California Environmental Protection Agency (CalEPA) for Fiscal Year 2017/18 in the amount of \$100,000 for the continued enhancement and development of the Certified Unified Program Agency (CUPA).

#### **RECOMMENDATION:**

Adoption of Resolution.

#### **<u>FUNDING</u>**:

Funding is provided through the California Environmental Protection Agency (CalEPA) to Nevada County Environmental Health in the amount of \$100,000 for Fiscal year 2017/18. No budget amendment is needed and there is no impact on the General Fund.

#### **BACKGROUND**:

The Rural CUPA Support Grant (RCSG) is to assist an eligible rural county in their implementation of the Certified Unified Program Agency (CUPA) in their jurisdiction. The rural county is defined as a county where the population is less than 150,000 and where there is no incorporated city with a population greater than 50,000. The RCSG will support the county's existing program and provide for the more highly technical and certified staffing. The Environmental Health Department will utilize the funding to provide equipment and training for existing CUPA staff in all CUPA programs to include Underground Petroleum Tanks, Hazardous Materials, Hazardous Wastes, Aboveground Petroleum Storage Tanks, and California Accidental Release Program facilities. Funding will also encompass the Standby Duty Hazardous Materials Response Program.

## Item Initiated and Approved by: Amy Irani, Environmental Health Director

Submittal Date: December 15, 2017 Revision Date: