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NEVADA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE:	January 28, 2020
TO:	Board of Supervisors
FROM:	Clifford Newell
SUBJECT:	Resolution Approving Execution of a Personal Services Contract with Community Beyond Violence in the Amount of \$48,790.00 for the Period of January 1, 2020 to December 31, 2020

<u>RECOMMENDATION</u>:

Adopt the resolution for a \$48,790.00 contract.

FUNDING:

Federal VOCA grants funds are the entire amount, \$48,790.00. There is a required match.

BACKGROUND:

This is the second time that Nevada County has been awarded this grant. It was first awarded in 2016. This grant from Cal OES requires identification of victim services gaps in the community and the funds be used to address those gaps. It also requires a county agency administer the grant, which will be administered by the District Attorney's Office. Nevada County's proposal included funding programs at the Community Beyond Violence (CBV) and Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA), in addition to funding a part time advocate in the District Attorney's Truckee Office.

The purpose of the program it to:

- 1) Respond to the emotional and physical needs of crimes victims
- 2) Help primary and secondary victims of crime to stabilize their lives after a victimization
- 3) Help victims to understand and participate in the criminal justice system
- 4) Provide victims with a measure of safety and security.

Community Beyond Violence runs a shelter on a 24 hour, 7 days a week schedule. This contract will address the needs of part time shelter advocate to provide services to victims that are shelter residents.

The grant requires that volunteers must be utilized. CBV uses volunteers, and will meet this requirement. All the requirements of the grant will be met including reporting statistics and claims per the Cal OES Recipient Handbook. Item Initiated by: Denise Harben

Approved by: Clifford Newell

Submittal Date: January 7, 2020 Revision Date: