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Board Agenda Memo

MEETING DATE: April 28, 2020

TO: Board of Supervisors

FROM: Trisha Tillotson, Director of Public Works

SUBJECT: Resolution Accepting California Department of Forestry and Fire Protection,

Fire Prevention Grant Program Funds in the Amount of \$868,084 for Grant

Agreement Number 5GG19133

RECOMMENDATION: Approve the attached Resolution.

<u>FUNDING</u>: The County of Nevada will be awarded \$868,084 from a Fire Prevention grant upon execution of Grant Agreement number 5GG19133. There is no impact to the General Fund.

BACKGROUND: The Board of Supervisors authorized the County of Nevada Office of Emergency Services per Resolution 19-646 to submit seven applications to the California Department of Forestry and Fire Prevention (CAL FIRE), Fire Prevention Grant Program. One of those applications, the Egress/Ingress Fire Safety Project, has been selected by CAL FIRE for award of \$868,084 to do intensive vegetation management alongside 200 miles of County roads over a two-year period.

The Department of Public Works will oversee the project upon acceptance of the grant and authorization to execute the agreement. Once the agreement is fully executed, staff will proceed with the project with completion anticipated by mid-2022.

Item Initiated and Approved by: Trisha Tillotson, Director of Public Works

Submittal Date: April 9, 2020