

## **RESOLUTION** No.

## OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

RESOLUTION APPROVING THE WORKFORCE INNOVATION AND OPPORTUNITY ACT (WIOA) MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU) BETWEEN NORTHERN RURAL TRANING AND EMPLOYMENT CONSORTIUM (NORTEC) AND AMERICA'S JOB CENTER OF CALIFORNIA PARTNERS PHASE I OF II AND AUTHORIZING THE HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY - DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES INTERIM DIRECTOR TO SIGN THE MOU

WHEREAS, the passage of the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act of 2014 (WIOA), which replaced the Workforce Investment Act and became effective July 1, 2015, has introduced certain changes into the County's relationship with the Northern Rural Training and Employment Consortium (NORTEC), which represents a Local Workforce Development Area comprised of a consortium of eleven counties, including Butte, Del Norte, Lassen, Modoc, Nevada, Plumas, Shasta, Sierra, Siskiyou, Tehama, and Trinity; and

WHEREAS, the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) requires that a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) be developed and executed between the NORTEC Workforce Development Board (WDB) and the America's Job Centers of California (AJCC) Partners to establish an understanding concerning the operations of the AJCC delivery system; and

WHEREAS, the MOU development process will take place in two phases: Phase I will address the coordination and collaboration among the partners. Phase II will incorporate a cost sharing understanding that will address how to functionally and fiscally sustain the unified system with the AJCC required partners; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the MOU is to establish a cooperative working relationship between the AJCC Partners, and to define their respective roles and responsibilities in achieving the policy objectives while also serving to establish the framework for providing services to employers, employees, job seekers and others needing workforce services.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, by the Board of Supervisors, of the County of Nevada that:

- 1. The Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) by and between Northern Rural Training and Employment Consortium (NORTEC) and America's Job Center of California Partners Phase I of II be and hereby is approved.
- 2. The Health and Human Services Agency Department of Social Services Interim Director is authorized to sign the Memorandum of Understanding and all other documents or instruments necessary or required by NORTEC to amend the existing MOU.