



RESOLUTION No. _____

OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF NEVADA

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING ENVIRONMENTAL CLEARANCE FOR AMENDMENTS TO CHAPTER XVII OF THE LAND USE AND DEVELOPMENT CODE, ROAD STANDARDS AND AUTHORIZING AMENDMENTS TO ORDINANCE SECTIONS L- XVII 1.1, L-XVII 1.3, L-XVII 3.4 AND L-XVII 3.12 OF CHAPTER XVII OF THE LAND USE AND DEVELOPMENT CODE, ROAD STANDARDS – ALL DISTRICTS

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors adopted Resolution 18-324 on June 26, 2018, in support and to promote the expansion, access and usage of broadband networks and advanced communication services throughout Nevada County to positively impact areas of healthcare: public safety, schools, colleges, libraries, community support organizations, businesses, social networking, and economic development; and

WHEREAS, on February 11, 2020, the Board of Supervisors adopted its 2020 Board Objectives via Resolution 20-041 that included “proactively support job-enhancing economic development by implementing business friendly data-driven policies, investing in broadband and infrastructure projects that enhance the quality of life for all Nevada County residents, and partner with private sector, non-profit, Grass Valley, Nevada City and Truckee leaders to collaboratively support local businesses and promote tourism;” and

WHEREAS, the County of Nevada proposes amendments to Chapter XVII of the Land Use and Development Code, Road Standards in order to support the 2020 Board Objective described above and the construction of telecommunication infrastructure in Nevada County; and

WHEREAS, under Section 15307 and 15308 of the State California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) Guidelines, actions taken by regulatory agencies for the protection of natural resources and the environment, respectively, are categorically exempt from the provisions of the California Environmental Quality Act.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Nevada County Board of Supervisors authorizes the Nevada County Department of Public Works to file a Notice of Exemption with the Nevada County Clerk’s Office for the amendments to Chapter XVII of the Land Use and Development Code, Road Standards.