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### Wednesday, May 18, 2022 Agenda 1:00pm – 4:00pm

Location: TTUSD Meeting Room 11063 Donner Pass Rd. Truckee CA 96161

ANNOUNCEMENT No. 1: This meeting is being held pursuant to the procedures established in Assembly Bill 361 amending elements of the Brown Act effective October 1, 2021. All Board members may attend the meeting by teleconference. This meeting will be a virtual meeting only. The public may observe and address the meeting via Zoom.

ANNOUNCEMENT No. 2: The public will have access to the First 5 Nevada County Commission meeting through Zoom Teleconferencing. If you are joining the meeting via Zoom and wish to make a comment on an item, press the "raise a hand" button.

- 1. Call to Order
- 2. Approval of Agenda— ACTION Attachment 1
- 3. Introductions
- 4. Public Comment
- 5. Commissioner Comment
- 6. Approval of Minutes for April 20, 2022 Regular Meeting ACTION Attachment 2
- 7. Fiscal Review ACTION Attachment 3
  The Commission will review the fiscal reports and credit card statements through March 2022.
- 8. Contractor Report —DISCUSSION

The Commission will hear a presentation from 2-1-1 Connecting Point about their First 5 funded Ready-to-Grow program.

9. Contractor Report —DISCUSSION

The Commission will hear a presentation from Healthy Babies about their First 5 funded services.

10. Car Seat Proposal – ACTION – Attachment 4

Staff will present a proposal to have the Service Support Secretary resume car seat safety outreach and installation. The responsibility was shifted to the CHP in 2020 when Sandi resigned her position. However, we have received feedback from the community that they would be more likely to refer families to First 5 Nevada County for car seats. Rosemary reports that she has the capacity in her schedule to take on the

training, outreach, and installation.

### 11.2022-2023 Meeting Schedule – ACTION – Attachment 5

The Commission will review and approve the 2022-2023 Regular Commission Meeting Schedule

### **12. PUBLIC HEARING – First 5 Nevada County Strategic Plan – ACTION – Attachment 6**The Commission is asked to take public testimony and adopt the 2021-2024 First 5 Nevada County Strategic Plan with minimal changes.

### 13. Executive Director's Report—DISCUSSION - Attachment 7

The Executive Director will share highlights from her written report.

### 14. Remote Teleconference Meeting – ACTION

Shall the First 5 Nevada County Commission approve re-authorizing remote teleconference meetings for the Regular Commission Meeting scheduled on June 15, 2022 because the Commission determines at this time the meeting may be held during a proclaimed State of Emergency, and State or Local Officials have imposed or recommended measures to promote social distancing?

Correspondence—None

### Adjournment

Next meeting: Wednesday, June 15, 2022 – Eric Rood Administrative Center 950 Maidu Avenue Nevada City, CA 95959

This agenda was posted on the web at www.first5nevco.com. Posted on May 12, 2022.



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### DUE TO THE INCLEMENT WEATHER FORECAST, MEETING HAS BEEN MOVED TO ZOOM.

First 5 Nevada Regular Commission Meeting Time: Apr 20, 2022 01:00 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Join Zoom Meeting https://nevco-org.zoom.us/j/91266007775?pwd=S3NUUDJSRkJIdEttUEdzUjdSdmwzUT09

Meeting ID: 912 6600 7775 Passcode: 382859

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### 1. Call to Order

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### 2. Approval of Agenda— ACTION - Attachment 1

Scott W. Lay made a motion to approve the 4/20/2022 agenda (Motion/Second/Carry) Scott W. Lay, Laura Brown, (4-0)

### 3. Introductions

Ryan Gruver, Laura Brown, Scott Lay, Phebe Bell, Melody Easton, Rosemary Gonzalez, Nataly Zarate,

### 4. Public Comment

No public comment

### 5. Commissioner Comment

Laura said that the weather was rather nice in Truckee.

6. Approval of Minutes for February 16, 2022, Regular Meeting – ACTION – Attachment 2
Scott W. Lay made a motion to approve the Minutes for February 16, 2022. (Motion/Second/Carry) Scott W. Lay, Laura Brown (4-0)

### 7. Fiscal Review – ACTION – Attachment 3

The Commission will review the fiscal reports and credit card statements through February 2022. Laura Brown made a motion to approve the Fiscal Review. (Motion/Second/Carry) Laura Brown, Scott W. Lay (4-0)

### 8. Contractor Report —DISCUSSION

Jenni Toedtemeier from the Read Me a Story Program will report out on their First 5 funded activities Jenni from Read Me a Story Program gave a presentation. Results so far are:

- *O1: They provided books to 271 families in Nevada County with children aged 0-5.*
- *Q2: They provided books to 424 families in Nevada County with children aged 0-5.*
- Q3: They provided books to 314 families in Nevada County with children aged 0-5.
- The Nevada County Library began providing books to families of newborns at SNMH. They plan on expanding the program to county doulas and home-born babies. They will look into partnering up with Tahoe Forest Hospital.
- They plan to film more Story Times later this year.
- They will attend the Children's Health and Safety Fair in May 2022.

### 9. Contractor Report —DISCUSSION

Nataly Zarate from the KidZone Museum will report out on their First 5 funded activities *Nataly Zarate from KidZone Museum gave a presentation. Results so far are:* 

### 10. Carry Over Request - ACTION - Attachment 4

TTUSD is requesting to carry over \$4,200 into FY 2022-2023 to cover the annual Child Development Conference; which was postponed in 2020 and 2021 due to the Covid-19 pandemic.

Laura Brown made a motion to approve the carryover in the amount of \$4,200. (Motion/Second/Carry)

Laura Brown, Scott W. Lay (4-0)

### 11. 2022-2023 Salary Schedule – ACTION – Attachment 5

The Commission will review and approve the 2022-2023 staff Salary Schedule Scott W. Lay made the motion to approve the 2022-2023 staff salary schedule. (Motion/Second/Carry) Scott W. Lay, Phebe Bell (4-0)

### 12. 2021-2022 Budget Finalization – ACTION – Attachment 6

The Commission will review and approve the amended 2021-2022 Budget Phebe Bell made a motion to approve the amended 2021-2022 budget. (Motion/Second/Carry) Phebe Bell. Scott W. Lay (4-0)

### 13. 2022-2023 Preliminary Budget – DISCUSSION/ACTION – Attachment 7

The Commission will review and make necessary changes to the preliminary 2022-2023 budget. If no changes are required, the Commission can choose to adopt the budget as-is. Laura Brown made a motion to adopt the 2022-2023 budget as is. (Motion/Second/Carry) Laura Brown, Scott W. Lay (4-0)

### 14. PUBLIC HEARING – First 5 California Annual Report – ACTION – Attachment 8

The Commission is asked to take public testimony and acknowledge receipt of this report. Public hearing began at 1:54 and there were no public comments. Public hearing ended at 1:57 and motion was made to acknowledge receipt of the report. (Motion/Second/Carry) Scott W. Lay, Phebe Bell (4-0)

o At 2:00 pm Phebe Bell had to leave meeting.

### 15. Executive Director's Report—DISCUSSION - Attachment 9

The Executive Director will share highlights from her written report.

Melody reported on Advocacy Day 2022 and Home Visiting Collaborative. Melody was asked to host/moderate a parenting panel that Nevada County Media will be airing on May 9<sup>th</sup>. Melody applied for Leadership Training Opportunities.

### 16. Remote Teleconference Meeting – ACTION

Shall the First 5 Nevada County Commission approve re-authorizing remote teleconference meetings for the Regular Commission Meeting scheduled on May 18, 2022, because the Commission determines at this time the meeting may be held during a proclaimed State of Emergency, and State or Local Officials have imposed or recommended measures to promote social distancing?

Motion was made to approve re-authorizing remote teleconference meetings. (Motion/Second/Carry)Scott W. Lay, Laura Brown (3-0)

### Correspondence—

• Nevada County Diaper Project thank you note – behind ED Report

### Adjournment

2:09 pm

Next meeting: Wednesday, May 18, 2022 – Eric Rood Administrative Center 950 Maidu Avenue Nevada City, CA 95959

### First 5 Nevada County March 2022

REVENUE	Mar-22	Y-T-D	Budget	% Budget	% Year	
Prop. 10 Tobacco Tax	194,056	383,709	577,742	66%	67%	(3)
ContribsFoundation/Other	0	0	0	0%	67%	
Augmentation(Small Pop. Grant)	0	12,000	149,199	8%	67%	
Collaborative/CAPC	0	6,076	72,314	0%	67%	
Kids Corner	0	10,700	10,000	107%	67%	
IMPACT funding from Placer Cty	0	17,822	18,000	99%	67%	
Other	0	0	0	0%	67%	
Interest Income	981	8,797	2,358	373%	67%	(3)
TOTAL REVENUE:	195,037	439,104	829,613	53%	67%	
EXPENDITURES		À	ndides	53% 5 000°C		
Contracts: External Programs	9,649	181,776/	528,699	0	67%	(1)
Community Programs					67%	
Comm. Projects/Other	0	6,522	1,000	652%	67%	
Kids' Corner	0	4,197	7,000	60%	67%	
Impact	6,234	22,127	18,000	123%	67%	
HV Collaborative	1,000	1,566	800	196%	67%	(2)
Persimmony Database	0	10,500	10,500	100%	67%	
Car Seats	0	0	1,000	0%	67%	
Food for IMPACT	0	0	3,000	0%	67%	
Evaluation Expenses	0	384	7,000	5%	67%	
Salaries & Benefits	18,875	151,000	212,057	71%	67%	
Services & Supplies	2,884	41,641	44,013	95%	67%	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES:	38,642	419,713	833,069	50%	67%	
EXCESS (DEFICIT) OF REVENUE TO	156,395	19,391	(3,456)			

Planned FY 22- Drawdown Notes:

**EXPENDITURES:** 

61,167

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- (1) June expense booked in June as Accrued.
  Reversed in July
- (2) Sals. & Benefits corrected to include HV Collaborative.
- (3) SMIF payments are counted as Tobacco Tax on Nev.Cnty reports. S/B Interest payments

### First 5 Nevada County Profit & Loss by Class March 2022

Accrual Basis

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O AH	Ordinary Income/Expense Income 4501 · Tobacco Tax Revenue 4900 · Interest Income	Total Income	pense 6200 · Grants Expense 6205 · Contracts	Total 6200 · Grants Expense	6390 · (Indirect) Support to NCSoS-Mo. 6400 · Computer Expenses 6431 · Society & Cumilia Impact)	6422 · Consulting-IMPACT	Total 6421 · Services & Supplies (Impact)	6501 · Home Visiting	6520 · Office and Operating Supplies 6560 · Postage and Deliveries 6580 · Printing and Copying 6600 · Professional Development 7000 · Salaries	7021 · Medical/Health Insurance 7022 · Medicare 7023 · Retirement 7025 · Worker's Compensation 7026 · Other Fringe Benefits	Total 7020 · Fringe Benefits	Total Expense	Net Ordinary Income	
HV Collaborative	0.00	00:00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,000.00	0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 3,969.33	951.23 52.14 909.37 36.32 17.98	1,967.04	6,936.37	-6,936.37	-6,936.37
Impact	0.00	00:0	0.00	00:00	0.00	6,234.00	6,234.00	0.00	00.0	0.00	0.00	6,234.00	-6,234.00	-6,234.00
Program	0.00	0.00	9,648.90	9,648.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0000	0.00	0.00	9,648.90	-9,648.90	-9,648.90
Sal. Svc. Supl.	194,056.01	195,036.65	0.00	00:0	1,510.00	0.00	00:0	0.00	8.66 13.92 281.76 1,000.00 9,776.26	643.22 136.82 2,239.75 95.31 47.30	3,162.40	15,822.99	179,213.66	179,213.66
TOTAL	194,056.01	195,036.65	9,648.90	9,648.90	1,510.00	6,234.00	6,234.00	1,000.00	8.66 13.92 281.76 1,000.00 13,745.59	1,594.45 188.96 3,149.12 131.63 65.28	5,129.44	38,642.26	156,394.39	156,394.39

### First 5 Nevada County Profit & Loss by Class July 2021 through March 2022

Accrual Basis

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	Augmentation	HV Collaborative	Impact	Program	Sal. Svc. Supl.	TOTAL
Ordinary Income/Expense Income 4150 · Collaborative/CAPC 4300 · Kids Corner Contributions 4400 · IMPACT Program 4501 · Tobacco Tax Revenue 4505 · Augmentation(Small County Pop.) 4900 · Interest Income	0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 12,000.00	6,076.08 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00	0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00	0.00 10,700.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00	0.00 0.00 11,871.27 383,709.07 0.00 8,796.78	6,076.08 10,700.00 17,821.27 383,000.07 12,000.00 8,796,78
Total Income	12,000.00	6,076.08	5,950.00	10,700.00	404,377.12	439,103.20
Expense 6200 · Grants Expense 6205 · Contracts 6200 · Grants Expense · Other	00.00	00.0	0.00	157,448.20	24,328.00	181,776.20 21,00
Total 6200 · Grants Expense	0.00	0.00	0.00	157,448.20	24,349.00	181,797.20
6240 · Community Project 6241 · Community Events/Kids Corner 6240 · Community Project · Other	0.00	00.0	00.0	4,196.93 6,522.79	0.00	4,196.93 6,522.79
Total 6240 · Community Project	0.00	00.00	00.00	10,719.72	00.00	10,719.72
6300 · Evaluation/Assessment 6380 · County Support Services-1/4-ly 6390 · (Indirect) Support to NCSoS-Mo. 6400 · Computer Expenses	0.00	0.00	00000	0.00	384.00 2,000.87 12,080.00 768.35	384.00 2,000.87 12,080.00 768,35
6422 · Consulting-IMPACT	0.00	0.00	22,126.71	0.00	0.00	22,126.71
Total 6421 · Services & Supplies (Impact)	0.00	00.00	22,126.71	0.00	00.00	22,126.71
6480 · Insurance	0.00	00.00	0.00	0.00	1,769.40	1,769.40
6502 · Collaborative Coordinator 6503 · Supplies 6501 · Home Visiting - Other	00.0	69.99 21.07 1,475.00	00.00	0.00	00.00	69.99 21.07 1,475.00
Total 6501 · Home Visiting	0.00	1,566.06	0.00	00.00	0.00	1,566.06
6520 · Office and Operating Supplies 6560 · Postage and Deliveries 6580 · Printing and Copying 6600 · Professional Development 6620 · Memberships and Subscriptions 6640 · Website 6650 · Technical Assistance 6660 · Meeting and Event Expenses 6700 · Travel and Training	000000000000000000000000000000000000000	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.0	000000000000000000000000000000000000000	406.28 13.92 281.76 1,000.00 3,988.00 10,500.00 86.00 45.00	406.28 13.92 281.76 1,000.00 3,988.00 10,500.00 86,00
6800 · Accounting Fees 6840 · Audit 6850 · County Counsel Legal Fees 6900 · Miscellaneous Expenses 7000 · Salaries	0.00	0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 23,815,98	0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00	00.00	2,780.00 6,500.00 11.60 9,856.73 86,148.74	2,780,00 6,500,00 11,60 9,856,73 109,964,72

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	Augmentation	HV Collaborative	Impact	Program	Sal. Svc. Supl.	TOTAL
7020 · Fringe Benefits 7021 · Medical/Health Insurance	00.00	5.701.08	00.0	00 0	6 750 81	12 451 89
7022 · Medicare	0.00	312.84	0.00	00.0	1,198.84	1.511.68
7023 · Retirement	0.00	5,456.22	0.00	0.00	19,736.74	25,192.96
7025 · Worker's Compensation	0.00	217.92	0.00	0.00	835.12	1,053.04
7026 · Other Fringe Benefits	0.00	107.88	0.00	0.00	718.07	825.95
Total 7020 · Fringe Benefits	0.00	11,795.94	00.00	0.00	29,239.58	41,035.52
Total Expense	0.00	37,177.98	22,126.71	168,167.92	192,240.22	419,712.83
Net Ordinary Income	12,000.00	-31,101.90	-16,176.71	-157,467.92	212,136.90	19,390.37
Net Income	12,000.00	-31,101.90	-16,176.71	-157,467.92	212,136.90	19,390.37

# First 5 Nevada County Expenses by Vendor Detail 2021-2022 March 2022

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	Amount	66.69	66.69	499.90	499.90	2,667.00 2,667.00	5,334.00	9,149.00	9,149.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	300.00	300.00	7.582.90	2,193.36	3,969.33	1.737.25	502.50	52.14	30.32	951.23	312.57	17.98	36.73	36.32	74.19
21-2022	Class	Sal. Svc. Supl.		Program		Impact Impact		Program		Sal. Svc. Supl.		Impact		Sal. Svc. Supl.	Sal. Svc. Supl.	HV Collaborative	Sal. Svc. Supl.	Sal. Svc. Supl.	HV Collaborative	Sal. Svc. Supl.	HV Collaborative	Sal. Svc. Supl.	HV Collaborative		Sal. Svc. Supl. HV Collaborative	Sal. Svc. Supl.
Expenses by Vendor Detail 2021-2022	Account	6400 · Computer Expenses		6205 · Contracts		6422 · Consulting-IMPACT 6422 · Consulting-IMPACT		6205 · Contracts		6600 · Professional Development		6422 · Consulting-IMPACT		7000 · Salaries		7000 · Salaries		7023 · Retirement	7022 · Medicare		7021 · Medical/Health Insurance	7021 · Medical/Health Insurance	7026 · Other Fringe Benefits		7025 · Worker's Compensation	7025 · Worker's Compensation
Expense	Мето	Best Buy Office Supply 07/2022 Microsoft yearly renewal	Total Best Buy Office Supply	Brooks Publishing 02/2022 ASQ Online Renewal	Total Brooks Publishing	TK Articulation February	Viola	Child Advocates of Nevada County 08/2022 Feb. L107	Total Child Advocates of Nevada County	Hope Healthy Outcomes 23/2022 Training with Burke	Total Hope Healthy Outcomes	el Trainer	Kragel	February - Easton	February - Gonzalez	February - Burke	February Retirement - Easton	February Retirement - Gonzalez	February Medicare - Burke February Medicare - Facton	February Medicare - Gonzalez	February H/W - Burke	February H/W - Easton	February SUI - Burke	February SUI - Easton	FEbruary SUI - Gonzalez February W/C - Burke	February W/C - Easton
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Class	Sal. Svc. Supl. Sal. Svc. Supl.		Sal. Svc. Supl.		HV Collaborative		Sal. Svc. Supl.		Impact		Sal. Svc. Supl.		
Account	7025 · Worker's Compensation 6390 · (Indirect) Support to NCSoS-Mo.		6580 · Printing and Copying		6501 · Home Visiting		6520 · Office and Operating Supplies		6422 · Consulting-IMPACT		6560 · Postage and Deliveries		
Мето	February W/C - Gonzalez February Support		Crayons w/Logo	int	Samantha Hinrichs 18/2022 Parent Facilitator	ia Hinrichs	Fastenes		Mentor	rolyn	Postage & stamps		
Date	03/18/2022 03/18/2022	Total NCSoS	Pro Imprint 03/29/2022	Total Pro Imprint	<b>Samantha Hir</b> 03/18/2022	Total Samantha Hinrichs	<b>Staples</b> 03/22/2022	Total Staples	<b>Tate, Carolyn</b> 03/07/2022	Total Tate, Carolyn	<b>USPS</b> 03/22/2022	Total USPS	TOTAL

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	Date	Memo	Account	Class	Amount
Best Buy Office Supply					
	03/07/2022	Microsoft yearly renewal	6400 · Computer Expenses	Sal. Svc. Supl.	66.69
Total Best Buy Office Supply					66.69
Brooks Publishing					
	03/02/2022	ASQ Online Renewal	6205 · Contracts	Program	499.90
Total Brooks Publishing					499.90
Carol Viola					
	03/18/2022	TK Articulation	6422 · Consulting-IMPACT	Impact	2,667.00
	03/18/2022	February	6422 · Consulting-IMPACT	Impact	2,667.00
Total Carol Viola					5,334.00
Child Advocates of Nevada County					
	03/08/2022	Feb. L107	6205 · Contracts	Program	9,149.00
Total Child Advocates of Nevada County					9,149.00
Hope Healthy Outcomes					
	03/23/2022	Training with Burke	6600 · Professional Development	Sal. Svc. Supl.	1,000.00
Total Hope Healthy Outcomes					1,000.00
Mary Kragel					
	03/01/2022	Trainer	6422 · Consulting-IMPACT	Impact	300.00
Total Mary Kragel					300.00
NCSoS					
	03/18/2022	February - Easton	7000 · Salaries	Sal. Svc. Supl.	7,582.90
	03/18/2022	February - Gonzalez	7000 · Salaries	Sal. Svc. Supl.	2,193.36
	03/18/2022	February - Burke	7000 · Salaries	HV Collaborative	3,969.33
	03/18/2022	February Retirement - Burke	7023 · Retirement	HV Collaborative	909.37
	03/18/2022	February Retirement - Easton	7023 · Retirement	Sal. Svc. Supl.	1,737.25
	03/18/2022	February Retirement - Gonzalez	7023 · Retirement	Sal. Svc. Supl.	502.50
	03/18/2022	February Medicare - Burke	7022 · Medicare	HV Collaborative	52.14
	03/18/2022	February Medicare - Easton	7022 · Medicare	Sal. Svc. Supl.	106.50
	03/18/2022	February Medicare - Gonzalez	7022 · Medicare	Sal. Svc. Supl.	30.32
	03/18/2022	February H/W - Burke	7021 · Medical/Health Insurance	HV Collaborative	951.23
	03/18/2022	February H/W - Easton	7021 · Medical/Health Insurance	Sal. Svc. Supl.	312.57
	03/18/2022	February H/W - Gonzalez	7021 · Medical/Health Insurance	Sal. Svc. Supl.	330.65
	03/18/2022	February SUI - Burke	7026 · Other Fringe Benefits	HV Collaborative	17.98

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	Date	Memo	Account	Class	Amount
	03/18/2022	February SUI - Easton	7026 · Other Fringe Benefits	Sal. Svc. Supl.	36.73
	03/18/2022	FEbruary SUI - Gonzalez	7026 · Other Fringe Benefits	Sal. Svc. Supl.	10.57
	03/18/2022	February W/C - Burke	7025 · Worker's Compensation	HV Collaborative	36.32
	03/18/2022	February W/C - Easton	7025 · Worker's Compensation	Sal. Svc. Supl.	74.19
	03/18/2022	February W/C - Gonzalez	7025 · Worker's Compensation	Sal. Svc. Supl.	21.12
	03/18/2022	February Support	6390 · (Indirect) Support to NCSoS-Mo.	Sal. Svc. Supl.	1,510.00
Total NCSoS					20,385.03
Pro Imprint					
	03/29/2022	Crayons w/Logo	6580 · Printing and Copying	Sal. Svc. Supl.	281.76
Total Pro Imprint					281.76
Samantha Hinrichs					
	03/18/2022	Parent Facilitator	6501 · Home Visiting	<b>HV</b> Collaborative	1,000.00
Total Samantha Hinrichs					1,000.00
Staples					
	03/22/2022	Fastenes	6520 · Office and Operating Supplies	Sal. Svc. Supl.	8.66
Total Staples					8.66
Tate, Carolyn					
	03/07/2022	Mentor	6422 · Consulting-IMPACT	Impact	00.009
Total Tate, Carolyn USPS					00.009
	03/22/2022	Postage & stamps	6560 · Postage and Deliveries	Sal. Svc. Supl.	13.92
Total USPS					13.92
TOTAL					38,642.26



May 2022 Statement

Open Date: 04/05/2022 Closing Date: 05/03/2022

Visa® Community Card

FIRST 5 NEVADA COUNTY (CPN 001129238)

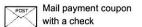
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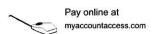
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### Memo

To:

Commission

From:

Melody Easton

Date:

May 18, 2022

Re:

Car Seat Installation Memo

**ACTION REQUESTED:** Consider reinstating car seat safety education and installation by First 5 Nevada County staff

JUSTIFICATION: First 5 Nevada County staff handed over the responsibility for car seat safety education and installation to the California Highway Patrol (CHP) in 2020 when previous Service Support Secretary, Sandi Hedenland, resigned from her position. While this partnership continues to thrive and serve the community, we have received feedback from programs reporting that they feel more families would reach out for car seat installation support if First 5 Nevada County resumed the service.

Rosemary Gonzalez, current Service Support Secretary, reports that she has the capacity in her role with First 5 to attend the training and schedule appointments with families. Additionally, Rosemary is bilingual and this may break down additional barriers with Spanish-speaking families who are in need of car seats.

FISCAL IMPACT: Minimal – the training is \$95 every 2 years and falls within the Professional Development line item

Agency





Date	Meeting	Location
August 2022	No Meeting	
September 21, 2022	Regular Commission Meeting 1:00 – 4:00 PM	Eric Rood Administrative Center 950 Maidu Avenue Nevada City, CA 95959
October	No Meeting	
November 16, 2022	Regular Commission Meeting 1:00 – 4:00 PM	Eric Rood Administrative Center 950 Maidu Avenue Nevada City, CA 95959
December	No Meeting	
January 18, 2023	Regular Commission Meeting 1:00 – 4:00 PM	Eric Rood Administrative Center 950 Maidu Avenue Nevada City, CA 95959
February	No Meeting	
March 15, 2023	Regular Commission Meeting 1:00 – 4:00 PM	Eric Rood Administrative Center 950 Maidu Avenue Nevada City, CA 95959
April	No Meeting	
May 17, 2023	Regular Commission Meeting 1:00 – 4:00 PM	TTUSD Meeting Room 11063 Donner Pass Rd. Truckee, CA 96161
June 21, 2022	Regular Commission Meeting 1:00 – 4:00 PM	Eric Rood Administrative Center 950 Maidu Avenue Nevada City, CA 95959
July	No Meeting	

Eric Rood Administrative Center	TTUSD Meeting Room
950 Maidu Avenue	11063 Donner Pass Rd.
Nevada City, CA 95959	Truckee, CA 96161



### Strategic Plan 2021-2024





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### STRATEGIC PLAN

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This report was written and prepared by the Executive Director with guidance from the Commission.

### Introduction

In November 1998, the California voters passed Proposition 10, the California Children and Families First Initiative which added a 50 cent-per-pack tax on tobacco products. Revenue from the tax is intended to promote, support and improve early development of children from the prenatal stage to five years of age. Proposition 10 echoes what many parents and caregivers have long known and, in the 1990s was being proven by scientific advances—that the first five years of a child's life are the most important for brain development.

Proposition 10 created a trust fund for revenues collected. Eighty percent (80%) of these revenues are distributed to the 58 individual California Counties annually to benefit children aged zero to five years old. Each local Commission has control over their own funds and by law is empowered to make local decisions about how funds should be spent. The remaining 20% of the revenues supports statewide programs and research.

On December 15, 1998, the Nevada County Board of Supervisors created the Nevada County Children and Families First Commission (later named First 5 Nevada County), and work began on "the creation and implementation of an integrated, comprehensive, and collaborative system of information and services to enhance optimal early childhood development" (California Health and Safety Code Section 130100). The five-member Commission is charged with administering and allocating the County's portion of the Proposition 10 funds. By ordinance, the Commissioners are drawn from the Board of Supervisors, the county Health and Human Services Department, the Truckee community, and the field of education.

The First 5 California Commission has created a Small Population County Funding Augmentation that commenced on July 1, 2014. Under this agreement, First 5 Nevada County will receive funds from First 5 California to bring our annual revenues to \$650,000 a year for three years – FY 2014/15 through FY 2016/2017. The First 5 California Commission voted to extend that agreement for an additional four years – FY2017/18 through FY2020/21, with trigger language that allows for a 2% annual decline in baseline funding if First 5 California revenues fall more than 7% in the prior year beginning with FY2018/19.

To date, First 5 Nevada County has invested more than \$8 million into early child development in Nevada County. State law directs First 5 Nevada County to distribute this money in accordance with this Strategic Plan, which has been reviewed by the public in at least one public hearing. Visit our website at www.first5nevco.com to learn more about First 5 Nevada County.

### **About Nevada County**

Stretching from the Sierra Nevada foothills to the Nevada state line, Nevada County encompasses an area of 958 square miles and a population of 97,820 in 2020<sup>1</sup>. Our county has 4,924 children under age 6 in 2020, up from 4,799 children under age 6 in 2015<sup>2</sup>.

The eastern and western portions of the county are divided by the Sierra Nevada Mountains, thus creating two diverse regions, which are relatively isolated from each other. Western Nevada County includes two of the three major population areas, including the cities of Grass Valley and Nevada City. Truckee is the population center of eastern Nevada County, which is geographically and socially connected with the Lake Tahoe portions of Placer County and the state of Nevada.

Nevada County has a very high mean age, with fewer households with children than in the state overall: 22% of households had children in 2017, compared with 35.5% of households statewide<sup>3</sup>.

Nevada County is predominantly white, non-Hispanic but the demographics are shifting, with the Hispanic population growing most significantly: in 2019, 9.8% of the population was Hispanic<sup>4</sup>. Among children 0 to 17 years, the percentages are significantly higher: 17.4% identified as Hispanic in 2020<sup>5</sup>.

Families with young children are impacted by the gap between wages and housing costs and the availability of employment. According to the Center for Community Economic Development<sup>6</sup>, the self-sufficiency wage for a single parent in Nevada County with an infant and a preschooler rose is \$77,000. In 2016, it was reported that 46.1% of families in Nevada and Sierra Counties were living below the self-sufficiency wage. The annual cost of child care ranges from an average of \$8,393 for a preschooler in a family child care setting to \$13,693 for an infant in a child care center<sup>7</sup>. Ninety-five percent of children ages 0-5 are currently insured and 80.3% of kindergarteners have their required immunizations.

In Nevada County, the rate of substantiated cases of child abuse and neglect is 5.9 per 1,000 children, compared to a rate of 8.9 for the state overall; most of this (83%) is for

https://www.census.gov/quickfacts/fact/table/nevadacountycalifornia,CA/PST045219

State of California, Department of Finance, E-1 Population Estimates for Cities, Counties and the State with Annual Percent Change — January 1, 2018 and 2095. Sacramento, California, May 2020.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Kidsdata.org <a href="https://www.kidsdata.org/region/334/nevada-county/summary#6/demographics">https://www.kidsdata.org/region/334/nevada-county/summary#6/demographics</a>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Kidsdata.org. (n.d.). Retrieved from https://www.kidsdata.org/topic/40/households-with-children250/

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Census.gov Quickfacts Nevada County

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup>California Dept. of Finance, Race/Ethnic Population with Age and Sex Detail, 1990-1999, 2000-2010, 2010-2060 (Jan. 2018); U.S. Census Bureau, Population Estimates, Vintage 2017 (Jul. 2018).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> Self-Sufficiency Standard for California. (n.d.). Retrieved May 24, 2015, from http://www.insightcced.org/calculator.html

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup>The California Child Care Portfolio, California Child Care Resource & Referral Network. Accessed at <a href="http://www.rrnetwork.org">http://www.rrnetwork.org</a> (May 2019).

general neglect<sup>8</sup>. The rate for domestic violence calls for assistance is similar: 3.5 per 1,000 adults compared to a state rate of 5.99. A total of 99 children were in foster care in 2013, down from 115 in 2012; the median length of time in foster care was 11 months, down from a high of 21.9 months in 2008 (the current state median is 14.1 months)<sup>10</sup>.

Overall, Nevada County schools have consistently ranked among the best in the state, achieving excellent marks in statewide academic performance tests. But the achievement gap between socioeconomically disadvantaged and non-disadvantaged children is growing: county-wide, second-grade language arts scores grew from a disparity between those two groups of 16% in 2001 to 28% in 2013; county-wide, second-grade math scores grew in disparity from 15% to 22% 11. Students are considered "economically disadvantaged" if they are eligible for the free/reduced price lunch program or if neither parent graduated from high school. Research has shown that this "achievement gap" between rich and poor begins in early childhood 12.

Many of Nevada County's children are geographically isolated, making access to services difficult. Providers encounter funding and staffing challenges related to economies of scale. In eastern Nevada County the families also have tough winter weather to contend with. The most recently available data, for 2015, show that seventeen percent of our children overall live in poverty, up from 9.1% in 2009<sup>13</sup>, and that poverty is often complicated by geographic isolation. Poverty for children in "female householder, no husband present" households is significantly higher, with 43.4% of children in those households living in poverty; most of those are single-adult households, with only 24.9% of them including an unmarried partner of the householder. Families in Nevada County continue to struggle with access to care issues that are often a result of our rural landscape. All of this makes the locally designed, comprehensive and integrated system of care offered by Proposition 10 all the more important for Nevada County.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Needell, B., et al. (May 2014). Child Welfare Services Reports for California, UC Berkeley <u>Center for Social Services</u> Research; U.S. data come from Child Trends analysis of Adoption and Foster Care Analysis and Reporting System data through the National Data Archive on Child Abuse & Neglect, as cited on KIDS COUNT (Apr. 2013).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup> California Dept. of Justice, Criminal Justice Statistics Center, <u>Domestic Violence-Related Calls for Assistance</u> Database (1998-2003) and Online Query System (October 2014).

Needell, B., et al. (May 2014). Child Welfare Services Reports for California, U.C. Berkeley <u>Center for Social</u> <u>Services Research</u>.

11 Author calculations based on data from the California Department of Education

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> Hall, T. et al. (2009). The Achievement Gap Begins Early: Disparities in Early Learning and Development: Lessons from the Early Childhood Longitudinal Study – Birth Cohort (ECLS-B), Child Trends

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup>U.S. Census Bureau, 2011-2015 American Community Survey 5-Year Estimates (Nov. 2017).

### THE STRATEGIC PLANNING PROCESS

Our strategic plan is the road map to a long-term, cyclical implementation and evaluation process during which we regularly measure desired results. Since 2000, the First 5 Nevada County Commission has regularly sought out family, service provider, and other stakeholder perspectives and reviewed research and data to ensure the continued relevance of the Strategic Plan. The Commission regularly discusses the focus and future of the Commission.

In 2019, the Commission engaged in a series of community input, stakeholder interviews with the help of a local evaluator. The evaluator met individually, or in small groups, with local community service providers and other stakeholders. She found that, "Local service providers are working hard to address the needs of children ages 0-5 and their families, and often with great effect. Due to its small size, Nevada County is a place where relationships are easily made and maintained, facilitating collaborations across agencies to better support clients. Nevertheless, many families are struggling and many needs go unmet."

Identified community needs were much the same as past surveys.

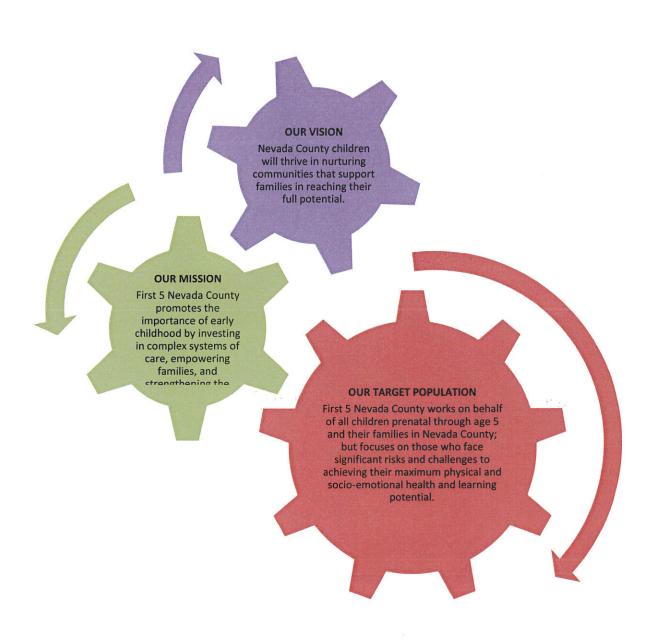
### **Identified Community Needs**

The top needs that the Commission identified for children birth to 5 years old and their families were:

- Parenting support
- Behavioral health care access
- Support for children's social-emotional development
- Support for the development of children's school readiness skills
- More exposure to pre-literacy activities
- Support for children's health and wellness including dental, obesity prevention, developmental screening, and immunization
- Higher quality child care
- Increased service coordination and collaboration
- Bilingual access to services for families

The Commission took into consideration the array of existing service providers, the extent of each need, the existing infrastructure to address that need, the potential impact of Commission dollars on that need, and the potential to evaluate that impact; they also took into consideration their past funding allocations and the impact of those projects and programs.

### Who We Are



### **Guiding Principles**

The funds entrusted to First 5 Nevada County are intended to produce measurable outcomes that better the lives of young children and their families. The Children and Families First Act gives the Commission the opportunity to allocate resources and invest money in a comprehensive and flexible manner to further the purposes of the Act and the Mission of our Strategic Plan.

### **Equity and Inclusion**

- Promote equal access to services for all children under age 6 in Nevada County
- Respond to the linguistic, cultural, geographic, and economic diversity of families
- Promote inclusion of families based on the needs of our diverse community; including, but not limited to children with disabilities and special needs

### Collaboration

 Promote activities and programs that have been shaped by community participation and collaborative efforts

### Systems Change

- Leveraging resources that build on the strengths of our families and the social capital in our communities
- Reduce fragmentation, build sustainable community capacity, and support shared decision-making and resources amongst partners

### Data Collection

- All investments are made to programs or activities that are able to objectively demonstrate their cost-effectiveness and overall efficacy
- All investments comply with the requirements of the Commission to ensure accountability of funds

### Investment Guidelines for First 5 Nevada County Commission

We create strategic impact by funding programs and activities that support the goals in our strategic plan, show evidence of effectiveness, avoid duplication, and need Proposition 10 funding in order to meet those goals.

We ensure that our investments for children are used in the most effective manner. Therefore:

- All investments are made in accordance with a Goal contained in the Strategic Plan adopted by the Commission.
- All investments are made to programs or activities that are able to objectively demonstrate their cost-effectiveness and overall efficacy and that comply with other requirements of the Commission to ensure accountability of funds.
- Funds may be allocated for leveraging other county, state and federal governmental revenue as well as private foundation, corporate and community funding.
- Expenditures are made in accordance with the First 5 Nevada County Contracts and Procurement Policy and the Expenditure Plan. Funds may be allocated on a sole source basis if the Commission determines there is only one natural provider of a priority service, based on a key objective, within the County; or funds may be designated for a particular geographic area.
- Funds may be allocated on a one-time basis, on a continuing basis, or in allotments based on performance, as required by the Commission, but in no case, shall commit the Commission beyond funds already realized in the First 5 Nevada County funds.
- All Commission spending will be made in accordance with the First 5 Nevada County Long Range Financial Plan, which is updated annually.

These Investment Guidelines represent policy guidance the Commission approved to inform investment decisions for the 2021-2024 funding period. The "home positions" articulated below express the organization's point of view about how and where it can realistically have the most impact. To create a road-map for future Commissions, the rationale for each home position is included. The following table summarizes these Commission-directed policy guidelines.

### Prevention vs. Intervention

First 5 NC strives to fund about twice as much in prevention services as in intervention services

Research in child development points to the importance and efficacy of prevention; the Commission recognizes this but also acknowledges that when prevention doesn't happen, early intervention is the most efficacious alternative. Because of the plasticity of young brains, the earlier the intervention, the larger the impact. The Commission also recognizes that their limited dollars are sometimes a key source for community response for an emergent problem for young children and their families.

### Direct Services vs. Systems Change

First 5 NC will continue to fund direct services; though is also continuing to advocate for a coherent system of services. Systems change is complex work. Meaningful and sustained change requires the collaborative efforts of multiple partners, across multiple sectors, working on the multiple elements inherent in systems change. The Commission recognizes that funding direct services provides leverage for the Commission to encourage collaboration and integration of services. The Commission remains committed to supporting community collaboratives and to using executive director time to work on systems change.

### Individual Focus vs. Family/Community Focus

Whenever possible, First 5 NC will fund services that focus on the contextualized client (in other words, the individual within a family and/or community context) or on community change.

Research has shown that services that target the child within the family context are more efficacious. This is especially true for behavioral health treatment. Some services, such as kindergarten readiness camps, have shown efficacy when targeted at the individual level; with these types of services, the Commission will encourage parent-outreach and education components. Some services, such as parenting classes, are targeted at the individual but impact the larger family system.

### Local Models vs. Evidence-based Models

Whenever possible, First 5 NC will fund evidence-based or best- or promising-practices.

Evidence-based practices have proven impact and therefore are used whenever possible. The Commission recognizes that these are sometimes cost-prohibitive; that they are sometimes not adapted for a given target population; that sometimes there are no proven practices that address a priority issue. As such, the Commission will consider funding best- or promising-practices or locally developed models.

### First 5 Nevada County Initiatives

In the past, the Commission reviewed their funding patterns and looked at several frameworks that articulate theories of change for early childhood programs. These included the Center for the Study of Social Policy's Pathways Mapping Initiative (both the Pathway to Children Ready for School and Succeeding in Third Grade<sup>14</sup> and the Pathway to Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect<sup>15</sup>), and their Strengthening Families Approach<sup>16</sup>.

These frameworks provided the rationale for choosing goals, objectives and strategies that would support First 5 Nevada County's mission and lead to its vision that children thrive in nurturing communities that support families in reaching their full potential. The Commission noted that previous funding processes focused on funding direct service programming. With declining revenues, the Commission has chosen to focus more on community-wide systems change; supporting direct services programming in serving the community, while also seeking out additional opportunities for sustainability. The Commission articulated four initiatives and their relationship to one another that better captured their work. The four initiatives are:

- Early learning
- Family strengthening
- Communication and outreach
- Capacity building and systems change

The initiatives, their components, and their relationships to one another are described on the following page. An Implementation Plan will serve as a companion document to the Strategic Plan; outlining the funded programs and their alignment with the Commission's priority initiatives.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> Schorr, L., & Marchand, V. (2007, June). Pathway to Children Ready for School and Succeeding in Third Grade. Washington, DC: Center for the Study of Social Policy.

Schorr, L., & Marchand, V. (2007, June). Pathway to Prevention of Child Abuse and Neglect. Washington, DC: Center for the Study of Social Policy.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>16</sup> Harper Browne, C. (2014, September). The Strengthening Families Approach and Protective Factors Framework: Branching out and reaching deeper. Washington, DC: Center for the Study of Social Policy.

## If we invest in these priority areas...

## we anticipate these outcomes...

Enhanced parenting support to promote strong families, including enhancement of parent knowledge of child

### Strengthening Family

 Opportunities for parents to receive concrete support in times of need development

- Enhanced social connections among parents

  - Enhanced parental resilience
- Consistent messaging on early learning and development Enhanced social-emotional competence of children

### Early Learning

- Improvedchildcare quality
- Enhanced knowledge, skills, materials, and capacity of providers who serve children 0 to 5
- Increased developmental screening of children, including Kindergarten entry assessments
- Supports for child health & wellness (behavioral, physical, and dental health and child safety)
  - Improvedfamily literacy
- Improved school readiness
- Increased opportunities for child socialization
- Decreased achievement gap for culturally diverse and socioeconomically disadvantaged populations

Commission engagement in advocacy for and education about children 0 to 5 and their families

- increased community knowledge of and engagement in the needs of children 0 to 5
- Consistent messaging on early development and learning

### Communications and Outreach

Increased communication and collaboration among agencies and organizations that serve the Oto

5 population

Capacity Building

and Systems

Change

- Increased numbers of agencies and programs leveraging private, state and federal dollars
  - Increased sharing of funds, resources, and evaluations among agencies and programs
    - Strengthened evaluation practices and communication of those findings
- Increased access to linguistically and culturally appropriate services for families

### will lead to achieving these goals.

### Goal 1

Nevada County children will live with supported, nurturing parents.

### Goal 2

Nevada County children are ready to enter school.

### Goal 3

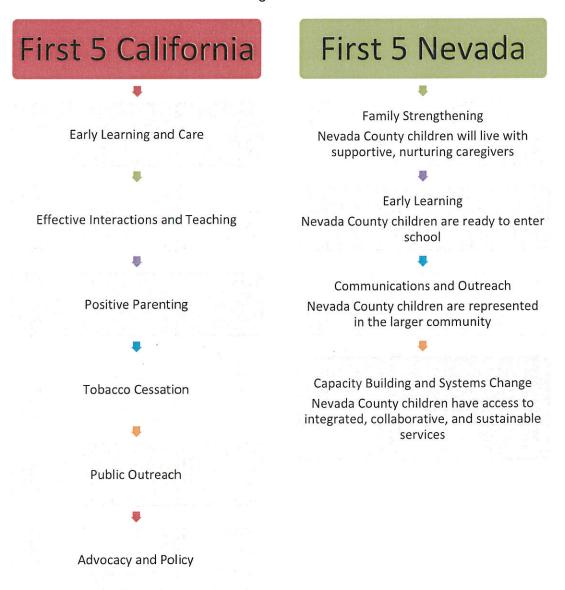
Nevada County children are represented in the larger

### Goal 4

Nevada County families have access to integrated, collaborative, and sustainable services.

### Link to First 5 California Focus Areas and Strategic Results

The following chart shows how the First 5 Nevada County Initiatives coordinate with the First 5 California Focus Areas and Strategic Results:



### **EVALUATION PLAN**

### **PURPOSE**

The purpose of the First 5 Nevada County Evaluation Plan is to provide information to stakeholders, including the Commission and those who contract with First 5, about progress on our statutory mandate to create a system to support, promote and improve the early development of children 0 to 5 years of age. The California Health and Safety Act requires First 5 Commissions to "...measure the outcomes of county funded programs through the use of applicable, reliable indicators and review that information on a periodic basis as part of the public review of its strategic plan."

This plan will comply with state reporting requirements. In addition, this Evaluation Plan is intended to explain how Nevada County will collect data and measure outcomes in a manner that provides adequate information to the Commission about the value of their investments. Contractors will gain information about their programs as well.

### STRUCTURE

Countywide Data on the Well-being of Children

First 5 Nevada County will continue to measure the well-being of children, using key countywide data points, parent and provider surveys, focus groups, and community conversations. Annually, the Commission will review a set of key countywide data points.

Annual Evaluation of First 5 Investments by the Commission

The Commission will review the progress and outcomes of each funded program annually. Beginning July 2020, grantees will be required to complete quarterly programmatic and expenditure reports in order to receive expense reimbursements. Commissioners will be provided with a high level overview following each reporting period; with a comprehensive summary provided at the end of the program year. Each grantee will submit a one-page overview of their funded program by July 31 of each year for the prior funding year (see IMPLEMENTATION PLAN). These overviews will appear in the Commissioners' meeting binders throughout the year. Additionally, grantees will provide a presentation about their progress and outcomes at a Commission meeting at least once during their granting period. Finally, at least once during each granting period, the Executive Director and representatives of the Commission will conduct a site visit to view program delivery, record keeping, and/or fiscal procedures. Any or all of these modes of evaluation will be used by the Commission in making future funding decisions.

Compliance with First 5 California Evaluation Framework

First 5 Nevada County staff and contractors shall comply with the First 5 California Evaluation Framework. As such, the Service Data Elements for each funded program must be reported. These are: the number, age, language and ethnicity of children, the number, language and ethnicity of primary caregivers, other family members served, and information about who provided the service. Staff and contractors shall report outcomes on all investments, and staff will report them to the state by result area.

### Reporting Requirements

All investments shall be tied to a Goal, Objective, and Strategy in the First 5 Nevada County Strategic Plan. The "Funded Program or Project Mandatory Reporting Requirements" description contains data collection requirements, definitions and a methodology for outlining the Evaluation Plan for each funded program (**see IMPLEMENTATION PLAN**).

Contractors shall report Service Data information and outcomes on agreed indicators on a quarterly basis, with a site visit planned for half way through the year. Staff shall review reports promptly and notify contractors within a reasonable time if their reports or their progress are not in compliance with the contract. Contractors shall also report their fiscal information as designated in their contracts.

### **Indicators**

Each funded program was selected because of its ability to meet a prioritized need identified by the Commission in their needs assessment and priority setting processes. Progress on those needs will be measured by selected indicators which will be tracked by grantees as indicated in the following chart (note: outputs listed in the logic model are not all-inclusive – additional indicators are outlined in the Implementation Plan).

### **Logic Model**

### Children are ready to families have access to Children and families are represented in collaborative, and sustainable services nurturing caregivers Children will thrive Nevada County with supportive, Nevada County Nevada County Nevada County enter school Outcomes community the larger integrated, Decreased achievement gap for culturally diverse and socioeconomically Increased community engagement in the needs of children 0-5 outreach among agencies that serve **Enhanced** parenting support to promote communication and knowledge of and disadvantaged strong families populations Short-Term children 0-5 Outcomes Increased # of parents engaged in parenting education and/or home visiting services # of children receiving developmental screenings # of providers engaged in community collaboratives # of families engaged in behavioral/mental health # of engagement opportunities for parents Outputs services Behavioral Health Children's Mental School Readiness 2-1-1 Resource Support FRC Playgroups Collaboratives Home Visiting Activities Parenting Workshops Community Health Capacity Building and Family Strengthening Communication and Systems Change Early Learning Initiatives Outreach

### **APPENDICES**

### Appendix A Long Range Financial Plan

First 5 Nevada County - Long Range Financial Plan Financial Planning for Sustainability Approved May 2021

	Approved	Proposed	Projected	Projected
Fiscal Year ending June 30	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
REVENUE	<del></del>			***************************************
Prop 10 tax revenue	\$484,695	\$577,742	\$523,451	\$456,803
Small County Augmentation	\$127,097	\$149,199	\$149,199	5149,199
IMPACT 2020	\$18,000	\$18,000	\$18,000	
Donations		\$10,000	\$5,000	\$5,000
HV Collaborative	\$61,654	\$72,314		
Interest earned	\$3,399	\$2,358		
Total Revenues	\$694,845	\$829,613	\$695,650	\$611,002
	Approved	Projected	Projected	Projected
Fiscal Year ending June 30	2020-21	2021-22	2022-23	2023-24
EXPENSES	4500.040	desa soo	dran 440	4522 400
	\$589.012	\$559 599	\$523 109	\$523.109
Prop 10 Programs	\$589,012			
Prop 10 Programs Community Projects	\$2,000	\$3,000	\$1,000	\$1,000
Prop 10 Programs Community Projects Evaluation	\$2,000 \$5,000	\$3,000 \$5,000	\$1,000 \$5,000	\$1,000 \$5,000
Prop 10 Programs Community Projects Evaluation Services/Supplies	\$2,000 \$5,000 \$41,263	\$3,000 \$5,000 \$41,263	\$1,000 \$5,000 \$41,263	\$1,000 \$5,000 \$41,263
Prop 10 Programs Community Projects Evaluation Services/Supplies Kids Corner at the Fair	\$2,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000	\$3,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000	\$1,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000	\$1,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000
Prop 10 Programs  Community Projects  Evaluation  Services/Supplies  Kids Corner at the Fair  First 5 Director Wages/Benefits .95 FTE	\$2,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000 \$113,945	\$3,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000 \$115,603	\$1,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000 \$115,615	\$1,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000 \$115,615
Prop 10 Programs  Community Projects  Evaluation  Services/Supplies  Kids Corner at the Fair  First 5 Director Wages/Benefits .95 FTE  Service Support Secretary .45 FTE	\$2,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000	\$3,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000 \$115,603 \$34,791	\$1,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000	\$1,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000 \$115,615
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Prop 10 Programs  Community Projects  Evaluation  Services/Supplies  Kids Corner at the Fair  First 5 Director Wages/Benefits .95 FTE  Service Support Secretary .45 FTE  Step Up to Kindergarten	\$2,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000 \$113,945 \$33,455 \$20,000	\$3,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000 \$115,603 \$34,791	\$1,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000 \$115,615	\$1,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000 \$115,615
Prop 10 Programs  Community Projects  Evaluation  Services/Supplies  Kids Corner at the Fair  First 5 Director Wages/Benefits .95 FTE  Service Support Secretary .45 FTE  Step Up to Kindergarten  Persimmony Database	\$2,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000 \$113,945 \$33,455 \$20,000	\$3,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000 \$115,603 \$34,791	\$1,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000 \$115,615	\$1,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000 \$115,615 \$36,231
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Prop 10 Programs  Community Projects  Evaluation  Services/Supplies  Kids Corner at the Fair  First 5 Director Wages/Benefits .95 FTE  Service Support Secretary .45 FTE  Step Up to Kindergarten  Persimmony Database  Contracted Pro  Family Resource Centers  Cross Agency Collaboration  Behavioral and Mental Health	\$2,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000 \$113,945 \$33,455 \$20,000 12000 ogram Expens \$212,318 \$25,000 \$45,000	\$3,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000 \$115,603 \$34,791 es \$214,678 \$25,000 \$35,942 \$54,627	\$1,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000 \$115,615 \$36,231 \$214,678 \$25,000	\$1,000 \$5,000 \$41,263 \$6,000 \$115,615 \$36,231 \$214,678 \$25,000

SPCFA Programs		\$162,000		\$160,500		\$160,500		\$150,000
Healthy Babies Home Visiting Program	\$	150,000	5	150,000	5	150,000	5	150,000
Persimmony Database	5	12,000	\$	10,500	5	10,500		
HV Collaborative		\$52,972		\$67,213				
Community Collaborative Coordinator .83 FTE	T	\$47,172		\$61,663		\$61,663		\$61,663
Services/Supplies		\$1,500		\$1,250				
Parent Incentives		\$800		\$800				Outrain Total
Evaluation		\$2,000		\$2,000				
Travel		\$1,500		\$1,500				
IMPACT Programs		\$21,000	100000	\$21,000	011-011-0	\$21,000		\$0



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### Memo

To:

Commission

From:

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Date:

April 20, 2022

Re:

Executive Director's Report

### First 5 California & First 5 Association

Shared Services – as part of our Small Population County Funding Augmentation contract with First 5 California, we are required to enter into "shared" or "pooled" services with other small counties to reduce admin costs. We participated in a focus group with other small counties to discuss ideas, and this will also be a topic of conversation for our in-person NE Regional meet-up later this month. Ideas that have been thrown out include:

- Shared auditing services
- Media, marketing, and communications
- Shared evaluation services
- Joint training or workforce development opportunities either in person or virtually

### Parenting Panel - Nevada County Media

The Parenting in Nevada County panel has been postponed - I will let the Commission know when a new date has been selected

### **Leadership Training Opportunities**

Unfortunately, I was not selected for the First 5 Association Leadership Cohort #3. However, Cohort #4 will start next fall and they will be keeping my application for consideration as it gets closer.

I was selected to participate in the Center for Nonprofit Leadership Executive Director Academy, which began on May 13th. I look forward to applying the lessons learned to continue to strengthen the work on behalf of the First 5 Nevada County Commission.

Agency

Laura Brown

### Kids' Corner at the Fair

Preparations for Kids Corner at the Fair have begun; with donation letters being sent out to previous event sponsors. Rosemary and last year's Kids' Corner coordinator, Rachel Jasper, wrote down all of the things that went well last year and areas for improvement. The Nevada County Fair will be held from 8/10-8/14. Depending on the Covid-19 precautions at the time, we plan on bringing back the "water play" feature that has been so popular in the past. Additionally, we will be requiring background checks for all volunteers unless they are employees of NCSOS or a First 5 funded partner.

### **Social Media and Outreach**

- Facebook (facebook.com/first5nevco) 677 people following the page
- Instagram (@first5nevadacounty) 204 followers