A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF NEVADA COUNTY'S RESOLUTION NO. 87299

WHEREAS, Nevada County has passed a resolution requesting that the California State Assembly prepare and present legislation which would expand the responsibilities of one State agency to do the following:

- I. Complete a study of trans-Sierra Nevada Mountain electrical transmission line corridor needs in cooperation with appropriate public and privately-owned utilites and public land administrators in California and Nevada, and
- II. Following completion of the needs study, complete a short and long-range electrical transmission line routing study aimed at unification of electrical transmission line facilities and the sharing of one corridor across the Sierra Nevada Mountains, where feasible, and clearly defining a route or routes which shall be acquired by the State of California, managed by a State agency, and used by all utilities whether publicly or privately-owned; and
- III. Development of licensing requirements wherein the designated State agency would have the opportunity to weigh a public agency or private company's preferred electrical transmission line routing against the State's selected route, and between the appropriateness of the project, environmental impacts, and environmental, social and economic impacts on affected property owners and residents along the agency or company's own preferred route who may gain no benefits from the facilities; and
 - IV. Development of a program for the designated State agency's acquisition, development and administration of one electrical transmission line corridor across the Sierra Nevada Mountains.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors, a political subdivision of the State of California, that Mariposa County supports Nevada County's position relative to legislation regarding a transmission line corridor through the Sierra Nevada Mountains for appropriate public and privately owned utilities and public land administrators in California and Nevada.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 4th day of August, 1987, by the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors, by the following vote:

AYES:

BAGGETT, DALTON, ERICKSON, RADANOVICH, TABER

NOES:

NONE

ABSENT:
ABSTAINED:

NONE NONE

Clerk of the Board

ATTEST:

MARGIE WILLIAMS,

LEROY RADANOVYCH, Chairman

Mariposa County Board of Supervisors

APPROVED AS TO FORM AND LEGAL SUFFICIENCY:

JEFFREN G. GREEN, County Counsel