

RESOLUTION NO. _____

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,

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**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE OF SAN MATEO COUNTY'S
NONCOMPETITIVE ALLOCATION OF BUDGET ACT OF 2021 FUNDS IN THE
AMOUNT OF \$897,589 FROM THE CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL
SERVICES TO ESTABLISH, CONTINUE, AND EXPAND HOUSING AND
HOMELESSNESS ASSISTANCE THROUGH THE HOME SAFE PROGRAM**

RESOLVED, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California,

WHEREAS, in 2018, AB 1811 established Home Safe, a locally administered program that aims to prevent or address homelessness among seniors and adults with disabilities served by or in the intake process with Adult and Protective Services (APS); and

WHEREAS, the Budget Act of 2021 appropriated a total of \$92,500,000 for Home Safe in FY 2021-22 to be expended by California counties through June 30, 2024; and

WHEREAS, on October 15, 2021, the California Department of Social Services (CDSS) announced noncompetitive allocations of Home Safe funding based on local need methodology for all 58 counties; and

WHEREAS, the County, acting through Aging and Adult Services (APS), wishes to accept San Mateo County's allocation of \$897,589 in Home Safe funding from the State; and

WHEREAS, Home Safe will provide the County with additional resources for both immediate intervention and long-term housing supports for clients experiencing

homelessness or at imminent risk of homelessness and clients may qualify for assistance if they are in the APS intake process, have an open APS case, or if their APS case is closed, regardless of the outcome of the APS investigation; and

WHEREAS, some or all of the funds will be used to contract with local agencies experienced in providing a continuum of care to address homelessness and administering supportive housing;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED AND ORDERED THAT the County accepts its noncompetitive allocation of Budget Act of 2021 funds in the amount of \$897,589 from the CDSS to establish, continue, and expand housing and homelessness assistance through the Home Safe program.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Chief of San Mateo County Health, or the Chief's designee, is hereby authorized to modify the performance measures to implement changes in the reporting requirements as may be appropriate to help the County more effectively communicate information about said program.

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