

RESOLUTION NO. _____

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

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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING: A) THE CHIEF OF SAN MATEO COUNTY HEALTH, OR DESIGNEE(S), TO ACCEPT DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CARE SERVICE FUNDS IN THE AMOUNT OF \$10,246,862 FOR THE TERM OF JUNE 23, 2023 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2027, THROUGH THE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH BRIDGE HOUSING GRANT PROGRAM ADMINISTERED BY DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH CARE SERVICES AND THE ADMINISTRATIVE ENTITY ADVOCATES FOR HUMAN POTENTIAL; AND B) THE CHIEF OF SAN MATEO COUNTY HEALTH, OR DESIGNEE(S) TO EXECUTE ANY AGREEMENTS AND AMENDMENTS TO AGREEMENTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE BEHAVIORAL HEALTH BRIDGE HOUSING GRANT PROGRAM

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

WHEREAS, The Behavioral Health Bridge Housing (BHBH) program was signed into law in September 2022 under Assembly Bill (AB) 179 (Ting, Chapter 249, Statutes of 2022) and provides \$1,500,000,000 in funding through June 30, 2027, to address the immediate housing and treatment needs of people experiencing unsheltered homelessness who have serious behavioral health conditions; and

WHEREAS, The State of California through the Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) is administering the BHBH program funding to be awarded to County Behavioral Health Agencies (BHAs); and

WHEREAS, DHCS has engaged Advocates for Human Potential, Inc. (AHP), to serve as the administrative entity supporting the implementation of the BHBH program, including reviewing BHBH program plans submitted by the BHAs; and

WHEREAS, San Mateo County Health applied for the noncompetitive predetermined maximum amount allocated for San Mateo County in April 2023 and received notification of the conditional award letter in June 2023; and

WHEREAS, there has been presented to this Board of Supervisors for its consideration and acceptance funds, reference to which is hereby made for further particulars, whereby the State of California DHCS will provide funding through the BHBH program administered by DHCS and administrative entity AHP to San Mateo County Behavioral Health and Recovery Services division for the purpose of providing bridge housing services for the term of June 23, 2023 through June 30, 2027 in the amount of \$10,246,862; and

WHEREAS, this Board has been presented with a form of the agreement and has examined and approved it as to both form and content and desires to enter into it.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED AND ORDERED that the president of this Board of Supervisors by signature authorizes the Chief of San Mateo County Health, or designee(s) to execute the agreement and any other agreements associated with the BHBH grant program thereto for and on behalf of the County of San Mateo, and the Clerk of this Board shall attest the president's signature thereto.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED the Chief of San Mateo County Health or the Chief's designee(s) to authorize to execute contract amendments which modify the County's maximum fiscal obligation by more than \$25,000.

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