

RESOLUTION NO. .

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

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RESOLUTION DISSOLVING THE SAN MATEO COUNTY’S HOUSING OUR PEOPLE EFFECTIVELY INTERAGENCY COUNCIL (“HOPE IAC”)

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

WHEREAS, on August 15, 2006, the San Mateo County Board of Supervisors adopted Resolution No. 068201, establishing the Housing Our People Effectively Interagency Council (“HOPE IAC”); and

WHEREAS, for the past two decades, the HOPE IAC has provided countywide leadership and fostered countywide collaboration between non-profit organizations, public agencies, and the community to end homelessness in the County; and

WHEREAS, in the past two decades since HOPE IAC’s creation, the County has organized other forums with these same stakeholders to address homelessness and affordable housing in the County; and

WHEREAS, on November 13, 2024, members of the HOPE IAC requested a review of HOPE IAC’s purpose, roles, and activities in light of other countywide forums to address homelessness and affordable housing that exist; and

WHEREAS, a subcommittee of HOPE IAC members subsequently formed to explore restructuring or dissolving HOPE IAC; this subcommittee found, with HOPE IAC members' input, that there is significant redundancy between the activities of HOPE IAC and those of various other countywide forums addressing homelessness and affordable housing; and

WHEREAS, on August 6, 2025, HOPE IAC members unanimously approved a recommendation to the Board to dissolve the HOPE IAC; and

WHEREAS, the recommended dissolution is because HOPE IAC members can engage in other countywide forums that address homelessness and affordable housing more effectively and efficiently.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED AND ORDERED that the San Mateo County Board of Supervisors dissolves the Housing Our People Effectively Interagency Council effective immediately; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board extends its gratitude to the members of the Housing Our People Effectively Interagency Council for their years of service and dedication to fostering countywide collaboration between non-profit organizations, public agencies, and the community to end homelessness in San Mateo County and encourages members to continue their work in other existing countywide committees on homelessness and affordable housing.

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