RESOLUTION NO..

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

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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF AN AGREEMENT WITH YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF SAN FRANCISCO TO ADMINISTER A PEER PARENT PARTNER PROGRAM IN SAN MATEO COUNTY, FOR THE TERM OF SEPTEMBER 1, 2025 TO AUGUST 31, 2027, AND A TOTAL OBLIGATION AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$896,908

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

WHEREAS, a Peer Parent Partner Program is an evidence-based practice that pairs parents currently involved with the child welfare system with a mentor (Parent Partner), who has successfully navigated similar experiences by offering relatable, credible guidance that professionals alone may not provide; and

WHEREAS, the primary objective of this program is to leverage the expertise of life-trained paraprofessionals to enhance parenting skills, promote and/or sustain family reunification, and mitigate the risk of future abuse or neglect; and

WHEREAS, in December 2024, the Human Services Agency's (HSA) Children and Family Services (CFS) branch issued a Request for Proposals (RFP) to identify a provider to administer a Parent Partner Program in San Mateo County, and the Young Men's Christian Association of San Francisco (YMCA) was selected based on their method and approach, and qualifications and experience as outlined by the RFP's evaluation criteria; and

WHEREAS, HSA is requesting the County enter into an agreement with YMCA to operate a Parent Partner Program in San Mateo County for the term September 1, 2025 to August 31, 2027 and a total obligation amount of \$896,908; and

WHEREAS, YMCA will provide peer-to-peer advocacy and support services to program participants to support reunification, placement stability, permanency, and reduce recurrence of child maltreatment; and

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

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED AND ORDERED that the President of this Board of Supervisors be and is hereby authorized and directed to execute said agreement for and on behalf of the County of San Mateo, and the Clerk of the Board shall attest the President's signature thereto.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Director of the Human Services Agency or designee is authorized to execute contract amendments which modify the County's maximum fiscal obligation by no more than \$25,000 (in aggregate), and/or modify the contract term and/or services so long as the modified term or services is/are within the current or revised fiscal provisions.

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