

RESOLUTION NO. .

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

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**MEASURE K: RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A MEMORANDUM OF
UNDERSTANDING (MOU) WITH THE SAN MATEO COUNTY LIBRARIES IN
SUPPORT AND FURTHERANCE OF “THE BIG LIFT” INITIATIVE,
FOR THE TERM OF JULY 1, 2025 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2026,
IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$1,508,815**

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

WHEREAS, since 2016, the San Mateo County Libraries (SMCL) has operated The Big Lift Inspiring Summers (BLIS) program across seven (7) school districts in collaboration with school staff and community partners to curb learning loss in the summers between entering kindergarten and third grade; and

WHEREAS, beginning in 2021, SMCL has provided the family engagement portion of The Big Lift through the “Raising-A-Reader” program; and

WHEREAS, this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) authorizes funding for FY 2025-26 for SMCL’s continued provision of the BLIS and Raising-A-Reader programs during fiscal year 2025-26 in a total amount not to exceed \$1,508,815; and

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

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED AND ORDERED that the President of the Board of Supervisors is authorized and directed to execute the MOU with SMCL in support and in furtherance of “The Big Lift” initiative, for and on behalf of the County of San Mateo.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Director of the Human Services Agency or designee is authorized to execute amendments to the MOU which modify the County’s maximum fiscal obligation by no more than \$25,000 (in the 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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