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

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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A MODIFICATION TO THE RULES AND REGULATIONS OF THE GENERAL ASSISTANCE (GA) PROGRAM BY INCREASING THE GENERAL ASSISTANCE GRANT FROM \$707 PER MONTH TO \$732 PER MONTH, CONSISTENT WITH THE STATUTORY FORMULA, EFFECTIVE OCTOBER 1, 2023

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

WHEREAS, State law requires counties to provide support for indigent county residents who do not qualify for other financial assistance, and counties meet this requirement by providing financial assistance through the General Assistance (GA) program; and

WHEREAS, the County's GA program provides financial assistance to individuals who have no minor children and whose income and property do not exceed certain limits by providing such individuals with vouchers for essential services or a minimal cash grant; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 2.30.050 of the San Mateo County

Ordinance Code, the Human Services Agency (HSA) is responsible for proposing changes to the rules and regulations concerning policies and procedures for GA program administration to the Board of Supervisors for approval; and

WHEREAS, the California State Department of Social Services has advised counties that effective October 1, 2023, the maximum aid payment to CalWORKs

families will be increasing by 3.6%; and

WHEREAS, HSA recommends that the Board of Supervisors approve the modification of the the rules and regulations for the GA program to increase the maximum aid payment to match the CalWORKs increase, effective October 1, 2023.

**NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED AND ORDERED** that the modification to the rules and regulations concerning the General Assistance Program administration by increasing the maximum monthly aid payment from \$707 per month to \$732 per month, effective October 1, 2023, be and is hereby authorized.

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