RESOLUTION NO.

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

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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH WORK2FUTURE IN SUPPORT OF THE ALLIES PROGRAM FOR THE TERM OF JUNE 18, 2014 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2015, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$158,049

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

WHEREAS, In July, 2012, San Mateo County Workforce Investment Board (SMCWIB) and other workforce partners including Work2future and NOVA, were awarded funds in the amount of \$2.5M to deliver the Alliance for Language Learners' Integration, Education, and Success (ALLIES) grant program; and

WHEREAS, SMCWIB, as the overall ALLIES grant oversight entity, fiscal agent, and program administrator, will create partnerships and innovative approaches that addresses a dual problem: 1) the need for English language instruction for working age immigrants in San Mateo and Santa Clara counties to connect them to skill building/training opportunities with the goal of employment, 2) the need for a decentralized delivery system that maximizes collective efficiency through common goals and measurement systems, and coordinated infrastructure to meet the needs of 20,000 adult English language learners annually; and

WHEREAS, Work2Future will assist with The ALLIES program grant's core purpose to support a systematic and coordinated strategy across San Mateo and Santa Clara Counties to build the competencies of job success for adult immigrants. That will be achieved by creating and supporting best-practice community-wide alliances to accelerate immigrants' success in education, jobs and a career; and

WHEREAS, Work2Future is named in the grant as one of the local workforce entities that will assist with research and implementation of the steering committee that allocates funding for a number of stakeholder groups—community colleges, adult schools, community-based organizations and Workforce Investment Boards to help accomplish; and

WHEREAS, the Workforce and Economic Development Division requests your Board to authorize the Director of Workforce and Economic Development, as a designee for the County Manager's Office 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.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED AND ORDERED that the

President of the Board of Supervisors is hereby authorized and directed to authorize the agreement with Work2Force in support of the ALLIES program and the Clerk of the Board shall attest the President's signature thereto.

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