

RESOLUTION NO. .

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

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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING: (1) THE ACCEPTANCE OF FUNDING FROM CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES WORK OPPORTUNITY AND RESPONSIBILITY TO KIDS (CALWORKS) HOUSING SUPPORT PROGRAM IN AN AMOUNT UP TO \$924,299 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2016-17; AND (2) THE HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY DIRECTOR TO ACCEPT ANY ADDITIONAL AUGMENTATIONS TO THE CALWORKS HOUSING SUPPORT PROGRAM THROUGH FY 2017-18 IN AN AMOUNT UP TO \$2,000,000; AND (3) THE HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY DIRECTOR TO EXECUTE AN AGREEMENT WITH ABODE SERVICES, FOR THE TERM OF NOVEMBER 15, 2016 THROUGH JUNE 30, 2017, IN THE AMOUNT OF \$924,299 AND ANY AMENDMENTS THROUGH FY 2017-18 TO USE AUGMENTED HOUSING SUPPORT PROGRAM FUNDING TOWARDS RAPID RE-HOUSING SERVICES TO CALWORKS FAMILIES WHO ARE HOMELESS OR AT RISK OF HOMELESSNESS TO REMAIN HOUSED IN SAN MATEO COUNTY

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

WHEREAS, the California Department of Social Services (CDSS) awards annual amounts of Work Opportunity and Responsibility to Kids (CalWORKs) Housing Support Program (HSP) funds to counties who apply and demonstrate the ability to administer the nationally recognized rapid re-housing program model for CalWORKs families who are homeless or at-risk of homelessness; and

WHEREAS, the Human Services Agency (HSA) is the lead agency for the San Mateo County Continuum of Care and oversees the CalWORKs program and was awarded HSP funds from CDSS to support services to families that will assist in quickly obtaining permanent housing and is committed to ensuring that the HSP program and RRH services are fully aligned with the Continuum of Care and the San Mateo Community's new Strategic Plan to End Homelessness by 2020: and

WHEREAS, HSA will utilize HSP funding to engage Adobe Services, a vendor solicited and identified through a Request for Proposals procurement process, to provide rapid re-housing assistance to families in San Mateo County who are at risk of homelessness to remain housed or to provide transitional housing and shelter for families who are homeless; and

WHEREAS, HSA is requesting that your Board authorize its Director and/or designee to accept any additional HSP funds allocated by CDSSS for FY 2016-17 through FY 2017-18 up to \$2,000,000 and to execute the agreement with Abode Services in the amount of \$924,299 for the term of November 15, 2016 through June 30, 2017 and any amendments to allocate additional HSP funds that may be allocated by CDSS for Rapid Re-Housing services which will allow HSA to implement services by January 2017 and utilize the 6 months of funding granted by CDSS and to streamline funds as they are received to provide critical services to CalWORKs families; and

WHEREAS, this Board determines it is in the best interest of the County to accept HSP funding from CDSS and approves HSA to utilize HSP funding to enter into an agreement with Abode for Rapid Re-Housing Services and desires to enter into same.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED AND ORDERED that the President of this Board be and is hereby authorized and directed to accept HSP funding from CDSS in that amount of \$924,299 for and on behalf of the County of San Mateo; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the HSA Director or designee is authorized to accept any additional augmentations to the CalWORKs HSP through FY 2017-18 not to exceed \$2,000,000; and

BE IT FUTHER RESOLVED that the HSA Director or designee is authorized to execute an agreement with Abode Services for the term of November 15, 2016 through June 30, 2017 in the amount of \$924,299 and any amendments through FY 2017-18 to use augmented HSP funding towards rapid re-housing services.

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