RESOLUTION NO.

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

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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING AN AGREEMENT WITH THE ASSOCIATION OF BAY AREA GOVERNMENTS (ABAG) TO IMPLEMENT THE BAY AREA REGIONAL ENERGY NETWORK FOR THE TERM OF JANUARY 1, 2013 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2014, IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$295,405 PAYABLE TO THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO

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

WHEREAS, the Bay Area Regional Energy Network (BayREN) is a regional

network comprised of the nine Bay Area counties and the Association of Bay Area

Governments (ABAG); and

WHEREAS, BayREN represents the continuation and expansion of the Energy

Upgrade program that has been in place since 2011; and

WHEREAS, BayREN program includes an outreach and education campaign,

workforce development initiatives, codes and standards policy support and the

establishment of financing options for energy efficiency work; and

WHEREAS, BayREN has been awarded \$26.56 million for the 2013-2014

funding cycle of the California Public Utility Commission (CPUC); and

WHEREAS, the County of San Mateo has been allocated \$295,405 in direct

funding for implementation activities related to BayREN program goals; and

WHEREAS, BayREN funding will support the addition of two unclassified positions to conduct outreach and education activities; and

WHEREAS, County residents and businesses will also have access to an array of incentives, resources, and financing options to assist them in completing residential and commercial energy upgrades; and

WHEREAS, energy retrofits help to protect our natural resources by creating local green jobs and reducing greenhouse gas emissions by lowering energy consumption.

NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED AND ORDERED that the Board of Supervisors is here by authorized and directed to execute an agreement with the Association of Bay Area Governments to implement the Bay Area Regional Energy Networkand the Clerk of the of Board shall attest the President's signature thereto. . The Board of Supervisors further authorizes the County Manager to sign and execute any additional supporting documentation required in connection with said agreement.

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