RESOLUTION NO...

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

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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ACCEPTANCE AND TRANSITION OF THE DEPENDENT CHILDREN'S RECEIVING HOME TO SAN MATEO COUNTY SHORT-TERM RESIDENTIAL THERAPEUTIC PROGRAM, NAMED ELYSIAN

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

WHEREAS, San Mateo County Human Services Agency ("HSA") currently operates a 12-bed co-ed emergency shelter through the Children's Dependent Receiving Home for youth, ages twelve (12) to seventeen (17), who have been removed from their home due to abuse or neglect; and

WHEREAS, HSA proposes to convert the emergency shelter Children's

Dependent Receiving Home into a twenty four (24) hour, 12-bed intensive, Short-Term

Residential Therapeutic Program ("STRTP") with the name Elysian; and

WHEREAS, the goal of the STRTP is to assist San Mateo County dependent youth to step-down to a resource family home in the most structured and supportive manner possible, and will keep children in San Mateo County, preventing placements outside of the community; and

WHEREAS, there has been presented to this Board of Supervisors for its consideration and acceptance, the recommendation to convert the Dependent Children's Receiving Home to San Mateo County STRTP; and

WHEREAS, this Board has determined that it is in the best interest of the County to convert the Dependent Children's Receiving Home into a 12-bed STRTP.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED AND ORDERED that the Board of Supervisors hereby approves the transition of the Dependent Children's Receiving Home into the San Mateo County STRTP on behalf of the County of San Mateo, and the Clerk of this Board shall attest the President's signature thereto.

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