## **RESOLUTION NO..**

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

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RESOLUTION ACCEPTING A GRANT FROM THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF JUSTICE IN THE AMOUNT OF \$164,564 FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE MEDICAL EXAMINER-CORONER OFFICE ACCREDITATION PROGRAM DURING THE PERIOD OF JANUARY 1, 2018 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2019

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

WHEREAS, the San Mateo County Coroner's Office is currently seeking accreditation through the International Association of Coroners and Medical Examiners (IACME); and

WHEREAS, in March 2017 the Coroner's Office received a two-year Medical Examiner-Coroner Office Accreditation Program grant from the National Institute of Justice ("NIJ") in the amount of \$164,564 (the "NIJ Grant") to assist with the IACME-accreditation; and

WHEREAS, the NIJ Grant will assist the Coroner's Office in complying with the recommendation of the National Commission on Forensic Science that, by 2020, all Medical Examiner-Coroner offices in the United States be accredited according to a national or international accreditation standard.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED AND ORDERED that the Board of Supervisors accept the NIJ Grant in the amount of \$164,564 for the period of January 1, 2018 through December 31, 2019.

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