

RESOLUTION NO.

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

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RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A \$150,000 AGREEMENT WITH THE SAN MATEO COUNTY RESOURCE CONSERVATION DISTRICT FOR CZU AUGUST LIGHTNING COMPLEX POST-FIRE RECOVERY SERVICES AND EXPANSION OF THE SAN MATEO FIRE SAFE COUNCIL'S CHIPPER PROGRAM

WHEREAS, the historic CZU August Lightning Complex resulted in structure, infrastructure, and natural resource destruction and damage throughout the southern portion of San Mateo County; and

WHEREAS, the San Mateo Resource Conservation District (RCD) is a special district within San Mateo County that provides comprehensive and integrated services around wildlife, water, climate, agriculture, and wildfire prevention to the local community; and

WHEREAS, the RCD is well positioned to provide post-fire recovery services due to their technical expertise and relationships with many of the communities and the Fire Safe Council in the area; and

WHEREAS, the RCD is subject to transparency and accountability laws requiring public meetings, open records, annual audits, and financial reporting which makes them a trusted County partner;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the President of the Board of Supervisors is hereby authorized to execute a \$150,000 agreement with the San Mateo Resource Conservation District for post-fire recovery work after the CZU August Lightning Complex Fire and expansion of the Fire Safe Council chipper program for fire risk mitigation;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Director of the Office of Sustainability or designee is authorized 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.

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