## Before the Board of Supervisors in and for the County of Monterey, State of California

## Resolution No. \_

RESOLUTION OF Monterey County Board of Supervisors of the COUNTY OF MONTEREY, STATE OF CALIFORNIA declaring a shelter crisis pursuant to SB 850 (Chapter 48, Statutes of 2018 and Government Code § 8698.2).

The County of Monterey Board of Supervisors Finds:

**WHEREAS,** California's Governor Edmund G. Brown, Jr. and the members of the California Legislature have recognized the urgent and immediate need for funding at the local level to combat homelessness;

**WHEREAS,** The Governor and Legislature have provided funding to local governments under the Homeless Emergency Aid Program as part of SB 850 and the 2018-19 Budget Act (Chapter 48, Statutes of 2018);

**WHEREAS,** The Governor and Legislature require jurisdictions seeking an allocation through the Homeless Emergency Aid Program to declare a Shelter Crisis pursuant to Government Code §8698.2;

**WHEREAS,** the County of Monterey has developed a homelessness plan and undertaken multiple efforts at the local level to combat homelessness;

**WHEREAS**, the County of Monterey finds that 419 persons within the unincorporated areas of Monterey County are homeless and living without shelter;

**WHEREAS**, the County of Monterey finds that 2,837 persons within all incorporated and unincorporated areas of Monterey County are homeless and living without shelter;

**WHEREAS**, the County of Monterey finds that the number of homeless is significant, and these persons are without the ability to obtain shelter;

**WHEREAS**, the County of Monterey finds that the health and safety of unsheltered persons in the unincorporated areas of Monterey County are threatened by a lack of shelter;

**WHEREAS**, the County of Monterey affirms the County's commitment to combatting homelessness and creating or augmenting a continuum of shelter and service options for those living without shelter in our communities;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY** the Board of Supervisors of the County of Monterey, **CALIFORNIA** that a shelter crisis pursuant to Government Code §8698.2 exists in the County of Monterey, and authorizes the County's participation in the Homeless Emergency Aid Program.

the following vote, to-wit:

AYES: NOES: ABSENT:

I, Valerie Ralph, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Monterey, State of California, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of an original orders said Board of Supervisors duly made and entered in the minutes thereof of Minute Book \_\_\_\_\_\_ for the meeting on \_\_\_\_\_\_.

Dated:

Valerie Ralph, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors County of Monterey, State of California

By\_\_\_\_\_

Deputy