

BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
OF THE COUNTY OF YUBA

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE )  
DIRECTOR OF THE HEALTH AND HUMAN )  
SERVICES DEPARTMENT (HSD) TO )  
APPLY TO THE CALIFORNIA )  
DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES FOR )  
THE BRINGING FAMILIES HOME (“BFH”) )  
PROGRAM FOR FISCAL YEARS 2019 – )  
2022, AND AUTHORIZING THE HSD )  
DIRECTOR TO EXECUTE THE DOCUMENTS )  
REQUIRED BY THE APPLICATION, THE )  
RESULTANT ALLOCATION, AND ANY )  
DOCUMENTS RELATED TO THE BFH )  
PROGRAM WHICH INCLUDES BUT IS NOT )  
LIMITED TO THE AUTHORITY TO ACCEPT, )  
TRANSFER AND ALLOCATE THE FUNDS IN )  
ACCORDANCE WITH THE PROVISIONS OF )  
THE BFH PROGRAM )

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RESOLUTION NO. 2020-09

**WHEREAS**, the California Department of Social Services (“CDSS”) has made funds available to continue or implement the Bringing Families Home (“BFH”) Program; and

**WHEREAS**, the BFH Program, established under Assembly Bill (AB) 1603 (Chapter 25, Statutes of 2016) and updated by Senate Bill (SB) 80 (Chapter 29, Statutes 2019), aims to provide housing-related services to families receiving child welfare services, increase the number of families reunifying, and prevent foster care placement; and

**WHEREAS**, counties must submit an application and request BFH Program funds in an amount sufficient to meet their need, while considering their capacity to utilize the funds; and

**WHEREAS**, counties receiving state BFH Program funds are required to match the state funding on a dollar-for-dollar basis and funds are available for expenditure from July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2022; and

**WHEREAS**, the CDSS will evaluate applications on a competitive basis according to established criteria and announce allocations in the winter of 2019. Not all applicants are guaranteed funding, nor the entire amount of funding requested.

**WHEREAS**, the Director of the Health and Human Services Department seeks to apply for and be allocated BFH Program funds in an amount not to exceed \$1,425,387;

**WHEREAS**, it is in the interest of efficient and effective county government to have a Resolution of the Board of Supervisors authorizing the HHSD Director to apply for the BFH Program and to execute all documents required by the BFH Program application;

**WHEREAS**, it is also in the interest of efficient and effective county government, in the event that BFH Program funds are awarded to the County of Yuba, to have a Resolution authorizing the HHSD Director to accept, transfer and allocate any Program funds received in accordance with the terms of the Program.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, the Yuba County Board of Supervisors hereby authorizes the Director of the Health and Human Services Department to submit an application for the BFH Program.

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**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** by the Yuba County Board of Supervisors that the Director of the Health and Human Services Department is hereby authorized to: execute, subject to review and approval of County Counsel, all documents as required by the application and the resultant allocation for the stated three year period; to execute agreements, memorandums of understanding (MOUs) or amendments developed under the BFH Program, including but not limited to amendments for additional or lesser funding; and to accept, transfer and allocate all BFH Program funds for the period of July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2022. A copy of the executed agreement, MOU or any amendment thereto shall be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Board.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Yuba, State of California on the 28 day of January, 2020 by the following vote:

AYES: Supervisors Vasquez, Leahy, Lofton, Bradford, Fletcher

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: None

ATTEST: RACHEL FERRIS  
CLERK OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

Mary Pasillas  
Mary Pasillas, Board Clerk

[Signature] Chair

APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
MICHAEL J. CICCOTZI  
COUNTY COUNSEL

BY: [Signature]