



RESOLUTION NO. XXX-2026

OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF EL DORADO

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado adopted Resolution No. 9-63 on January 21, 1963, establishing County Service Area No. 3 (CSA No. 3); Resolution 210-82 on August 10, 1982, authorizing CSA No. 3 to provide ambulance services to the unincorporated areas of CSA No. 3; and Resolution 132-87 on April 28, 1987, authorizing CSA No. 3 to provide ambulance services within the incorporated area of CSA No. 3; and

WHEREAS, CSA No. 3 ambulance services are funded by a special tax, benefit assessment, and ambulance fees; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado approved the Fiscal Year 2025-2026 Recommended Budget on June 10, 2025, which included a General Fund contribution of \$750,000 to CSA No. 3 and adopted the final budget on September 30, 2025; and

WHEREAS, California Government Code Section 25214.4 authorizes the County's Board of Supervisors to authorize a loan of funds to a county service area for any lawful expenses of the county service area; and

WHEREAS, in conformance with California Government Code Section 25214.4, the County is treating the Fiscal Year 2025-2026 General Fund Contribution as a loan to CSA No. 3; and

WHEREAS, California Government Code Section 25214.4 authorizes the County's Board of Supervisors, by a four-fifths vote, to waive the repayment of a loan to a county service area in whole or in part if the board of supervisors finds that the repayment of the loan may result in an economic or fiscal hardship to the property owners or residents of the county service area; and

WHEREAS, to repay the Fiscal Year 2025-2026 General Fund contribution of \$750,000, CSA No. 3 will require raising additional revenue from CSA No. 3 residents, which would result in an economic and fiscal hardship to the CSA No. 3 residents because weather and the remote nature of the CSA increases the costs of providing services and the ambulance system is impacted by transient visitors with varying levels of access to insurance who create inconsistent periods of increased service demand based upon weather, fire, and economic conditions.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that pursuant to California Government Code 25214.4, and a four-fifths vote as required, the Board of Supervisors of El Dorado County finds that the repayment of the General Fund contribution of \$750,000 for Fiscal Year 2025-2026 will create economic and fiscal hardship for the residents of CSA No. 3 because weather and the remote nature of the CSA increases the costs of providing services and the ambulance system is impacted by transient visitors with varying levels of access to insurance who create inconsistent periods of increased service demand based upon weather, fire, and economic conditions and therefore, waives the repayment in whole.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting of said Board, held the ____ day of _____, 2026, by the following vote of said Board:

Attest:	Ayes:
Kim Dawson	Noes:
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors	Absent:
By: _____	_____
Deputy Clerk	Chair, Board of Supervisors