



RESOLUTION NO.
OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF EL DORADO

WHEREAS, California Government Code § 25355 authorizes the Board of Supervisors to accept or reject any gift, bequest, or devise made to in favor of the County, or in favor of the Board, in trust for any public purpose; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors may delegate such authority to any County officer or employee; and

WHEREAS, California Government Code § 25355 requires the delegated County officer or employee to file with the Board each quarter a report that describes the source and value of each gift valued in excess of \$10,000 or any other amount determined by the Board; and

WHEREAS, private individuals and entities occasionally offer donations of cash, materials, and services (“gifts”) in support of volunteer programs and services provided by the El Dorado County Sheriff’s Office, including, but not limited to the Sheriff’s Team of Active Retirees, Sheriff’s Explorer Post 457, and Search and Rescue; and

WHEREAS, such gifts provide a valuable public benefit by supporting public services and programs provided by the El Dorado County Sheriff’s Office; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors desires to facilitate and streamline the process for the acceptance of such gifts, by delegating to the Sheriff and the Undersheriff the authority of accepting or rejecting gifts made to or in favor of the Sheriff’s Office; and

WHEREAS, in accordance with California Government Code § 25355 the appropriate procedures contained in the State Controller’s manual entitled “Accounting Standards and Procedures for Counties” shall be followed in accounting for or inventorying gifts.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado that:

1. The Sheriff and the Undersheriff are hereby authorized to accept or reject any individual gifts, made in support of programs and/or services provided by the Sheriff’s Office, that do not exceed \$10,000 in value. Such delegation of authority shall remain in effect unless rescinded by the Board of Supervisors.
2. The Sheriff and the Undersheriff shall jointly file with the Board of Supervisors each year a report that describes the source and value of each gift accepted by the Sheriff and the Undersheriff.
3. When exercising the authority granted herein, the Sheriff and the Undersheriff shall follow the procedures contained in the State Controller’s manual entitled “Accounting Standards and Procedures for Counties” in accounting for or inventorying gifts.

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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 _____, 20__, by the following vote of said Board:

Attest:
Kim Dawson
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

Ayes:
Noes:
Absent:

By: _____
Deputy Clerk

Chair, Board of Supervisors