



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

Authorization for the Sheriff, Health and Human Services Agency (HHS) Director or HHS Behavioral Health Director, and Chief Probation Officer to Execute and Administer Specific Allocation Issued by the California Department of Health Care Services.

**WHEREAS**, in accordance with Board of Supervisors' (hereinafter referred to as the "Board") Policy A-6 "Grant Applications," the Board is the sole authority for accepting grant awards and approving grant agreements. After acceptance of a grant award and approval of the grant agreement, the Board may delegate authority to execute the grant agreement and other grant related documents; and,

**WHEREAS**, the California Department of Health Care Services (DHCS) issues the Providing Access and Transferring Health (PATH) funding allocations (Allocations) to the Sheriff's Office, Health and Human Services Agency (HHS), and Probation Department, that require signature of the Sheriff, HHS Director or HHS 's Director of Behavioral Health, and Chief Probation Officer; and,

**WHEREAS**, these Allocations are vital to these County departments' ability to provide necessary and mandated services to the community and residents of the County; and

**WHEREAS**, DHCS has issued these Allocations and revised Allocations after March 2023, and the timeline allowed by DHCS to execute and submit documents is brief, resulting in a significant workload impact for the Sheriff's Office, HHS, Probation Department, County Counsel, Risk Management, the Chief Administrative Office, and the Board; and,

**WHEREAS**, the additional time required to prepare for and receive approval from the Board to accept the funding and to execute these Allocations reduces the period of time costs may be charged against DHCS Allocations, and results in costs charged to other funding sources, including General Fund; and

**WHEREAS**, the funding realized by these Allocations is included annually in the Sheriff's Office, HHS's, and Probation Department's operating budget; and

**WHEREAS**, to ensure the timely and efficient processing of Allocations, thereby safeguarding the continuation of essential services, the Board hereby authorizes the Sheriff, HHS Director or HHS Behavioral Health Director, and Chief Probation Officer to act on behalf of the County of El Dorado and accept these Allocations and execute all necessary documents required to secure and maintain these Allocations, contingent upon approval by County Counsel and Risk Management, as applicable.

