



RESOLUTION NO. 057-2018

OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF EL DORADO

IN SUPPORT OF CALIFORNIA ASSEMBLY BILL 2596

WHEREAS, El Dorado County (“County”) adopted a County-wide Strategic Plan in 2016 that contains five Elements, including Economic Development; and

WHEREAS, the Goal of the Economic Development Element is to Enable a Prosperous and Vibrant Economy; and

WHEREAS, to further the County’s Economic Development Goal, the County has joined into a partnership with the Greater Sacramento Economic Council, a public private partnership with 40 CEOs and 19 local jurisdictions in the six- county Capitol Region of California, to drive innovative growth strategies; and

WHEREAS, the County, as part of the Northern California Megaregion, an interconnected marketplace representing nearly one third of the population of California, seeks to strengthen the connectivity between the Bay Area and Capital Region into a single, high-performing economy; and

WHEREAS, the County recognizes that California jobs matter and supports policies to retain employment and businesses in the state instead of losing them to competitive states like Texas, Alabama, and South Carolina; and

WHEREAS, the County seeks to model comprehensive strategies similar to other states like New York, Virginia, and Oregon that have implemented statewide economic development strategies to set statewide economic goals, target key clusters for development, align programs and priorities, evaluate policy outcomes, and prioritize the economic needs unique to regions within the state; and

WHEREAS, the people of El Dorado County benefit from the creation of market-based strategies that bring greater wealth and inclusion to our economy and that improve economic development programs, policies, and strategic plans within the State of California:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado supports the California Legislature and Governor’s adoption of California Assembly Bill 2596, an act relating to economic development and requiring the Governor’s Office of Business and Economic Development to lead the preparation of a California Economic Development Strategic Plan. Adoption of such legislation will allow California to set state-level plans and goals, evaluate and examine economic outcomes, define target industries, and create regional economic development.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting of said Board, held the 10th day of April, 2018, by the following vote of said Board:

Attest:
James S. Mitrison
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: Kyra Schaffenberg
Deputy Clerk

Ayes: Frentzen, Veerkamp, Hidahl, Ranalli
Noes: None
Absent: Novasel

Michael Ranalli
Chairman, Board of Supervisors
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