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Resolution of The Board of Supervisors of The County of Sonoma, State of California, Authorizing Eddie Engram, Sonoma County Sheriff-Coroner, to ratify a Grant Application and Execute the Boating Safety and Enforcement Financial Aid Program Agreement, and any related documents or amendments, with the California Department of Parks and Recreation, Division of Boating and Waterways, in the amount of \$513,899 for FY 25-26.

Whereas, the Sheriff's Office Marine Unit provides boating safety and enforcement services on Sonoma County waterways; and

**Whereas,** the California Department of Parks and Recreation, Division of Boating and Waterways offers financial aid to local government agency grantees to support boating safety and enforcement activities; and

Whereas, the Sheriff-Coroner intends to apply for grant funding, for FY 25-26, from the Division of Boating and Waterways Boating Safety and Enforcement Financial Aid Program in the amount of \$513,899; and

Whereas, Sonoma County will expend for boating safety programs not less than an amount equal to 100 percent of the amount received by the County from personal property taxes on vessels. The money allocated to the County pursuant to the Boating Safety and Enforcement Financial Aid Program under Harbors and Navigation Code §663.7 subdivision (a) shall be used only for boating safety and enforcement programs, as specified in Harbors and Navigation Code §663.7 subdivision (a), that are conducted in Sonoma County.

**Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved** by the Board of Supervisors that Eddie Engram, Sonoma County Sheriff-Coroner, is authorized to ratify the application for and execute the California Department of Parks and Recreation, Division of Boating and Waterways Boating Safety and Financial Aid Program Agreement, execute any subsequent, related documents, and request reimbursement up to \$513,899.

**Be It Further Resolved** by the Board of Supervisors that the Sonoma County Auditor-Controller-Treasurer-Tax Collector is authorized to certify the amount of prior year vessel taxes received by the County.

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