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## Resolution Of The Board Of Supervisors Of The County Of Sonoma, State Of California, ADOPTING THE SONOMA COUNTY VISION ZERO ACTION PLAN

**Whereas,** Vision Zero is a strategy to eliminate traffic fatalities and severe injuries among all road users to ensure safe, healthy, and equitable mobility for all; and

**Whereas,** in October 2019, the Sonoma County Transportation Authority (SCTA) launched a Vision Zero planning process in partnership with the Sonoma County Department of Health Services (DHS); and

Whereas, the SCTA and DHS convened a Vision Zero Advisory Committee comprised of members from all ten jurisdictions within Sonoma County, including Sonoma County, as well as non-profit organizations, community members, and public health and safety agencies; and

**Whereas,** after months of data-gathering, agency participation, community engagement and plan development, the Vision Zero Advisory Committee has produced the Sonoma County Vision Zero Action Plan; and

**Whereas,** the Sonoma County Vision Zero Action Plan contains specific actions and measures to achieve a target goal of zero traffic deaths and severe injuries on roadways in Sonoma County by 2030; and

**Whereas,** Vision Zero implementers will involve a wide range of stakeholders, including: local agency transportation departments, law enforcement agencies, community

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organizations, and various health and educations stakeholders; and

**Whereas,** the adoption of the Vision Zero Action Plan will increase the County's eligibility and competitiveness for future Federal and State grant opportunities; and

Whereas, the implementation measures in the Vision Zero Action Plan will build on the County's current work toward a safer transportation system and supports the County's numerous General Plan goals including reducing traffic accidents and hazards, providing for safe bicycle, pedestrian and transit facilities, and reducing greenhouse gases; and

Whereas, other ongoing initiatives in the County, including Safe Routes to School programs and the Local Road Safety Plan are supportive of the Vision Zero goal; and

Whereas, the SCTA Board of Directors adopted the Vision Zero Action Plan at their March 14, 2022, meeting; and

**Whereas,** participating agencies are also asked to consider adopting the Vision Zero Action Plan.

**Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved** that the Sonoma County Board of Supervisors hereby adopts the Sonoma County Vision Zero Action Plan.

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