

## ORDINANCE NO. ( )

### AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF SONOMA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, AMENDING SONOMA COUNTY CODE SECTION 2-54 – SPECIFIC DUTIES, TO INCREASE CERTAIN PURCHASING AGENT CONTRACTING AUTHORITY

The Board of Supervisors of the County of Sonoma, State of California, ordains as follows:

**Section I. Purpose.** The purpose of this Ordinance is to amend Section 2-54(b) of Sonoma County Code– Specific Duties, to increase the delegated authority of the County’s Purchasing Agent with regard to services contracts.

**Section II. Amendment of County Code – Purchasing Authority.** Subsection (b) of Sonoma County Code Section 2-54 is hereby amended to read as follows:

(b): Engage independent contractors to perform services for the county and its departments, with or without the furnishing of material, when the annual aggregate cost does not exceed ~~one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00)~~ two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000.00) subject to statutory procedures and to prior approval of the head of the department seeking approval of the contract;

**Section III. Severability.** If any section, subsection, sentence, clause, or phrase of this Ordinance is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such decision shall not affect the validity of the remaining portion of this Ordinance. The Board of Supervisors hereby declares that it would have passed this Ordinance and every section, subsection, sentence, clause or phrase thereof irrespective of the fact that any one or more sections, subsections, sentences, clauses or phrases be declared unconstitutional or invalid.

**Section IV. Effective Date.** This Ordinance shall be and the same is hereby declared to be in full force and effect from and after thirty (30) days after the date of its passage and shall be published once before the expiration of fifteen (15) days after said passage, with the names of the Supervisors voting for or against the same, in *The Press Democrat*, a newspaper of general circulation published in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

In regular session of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Sonoma, introduced on the X day of X, 20\_\_, and finally passed and adopted this X day of X, 20\_\_, on regular roll call of the members of said Board by the following vote:

#### SUPERVISORS:

Hermosillo

Commented [A1]: Revise

Ayes:

Noes:

Absent:

Abstain:

**WHEREUPON**, the Chair declared the above and foregoing Ordinance duly adopted and

**SO ORDERED.**

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Chair, Board of Supervisors  
County of Sonoma

ATTEST:

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Christina Rivera,  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors