RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF SHASTA RECOGNIZING LAURA MCDUFFEY, COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COORDINATOR OF SHASTA COUNTY'S HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY, AS DECEMBER 2017 EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

WHEREAS, the Shasta County Board of Supervisors has adopted the Shasta County Employee Recognition Program to identify exceptional employees who deserve to be recognized and honored for their contribution to County service; and

WHEREAS, such recognition is given to the employee meeting the criteria of the program, namely exceptional customer service, professionalism, high ethical standards, initiative, innovation, teamwork, productivity, and service as a role model for other public employees; and

WHEREAS, the Shasta County Employee Recognition Committee has considered all current nominations for the Shasta County Employee of the Month;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Laura McDuffey, Community Development Coordinator, of Shasta County's Health and Human Services Agency, is hereby named Shasta County Employee of the Month for December 2017; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Ms. McDuffey represents the County, HHSA, and her programs positively and professionally. She works cooperatively to solve problems and ensure clients get their needs met. Ms. McDuffey represents Shasta County at many community events including many resource fairs. She is involved in the HOPE Van Advisory Committee and was a key participant in Project Homeless Connect which assists individuals in our community who are experiencing homelessness and having difficulty connecting to essential services needed to sustain a certain quality of life.

Ms. McDuffey has assisted with the Medi-Cal expansion for Shasta County, development of the Sharps Disposal Program, the Farmers' Market SNAP-ED grant program, and the Prescription Drug Card program. She took the lead in applying for CalWORKs Housing Support Program (HSP) funding for Shasta County. HSP provides homeless adults with children assistance with acquiring temporary and permanent housing assistance and with on-going case management in order to address barriers that may cause them to become homeless again in the future. Ms. McDuffey is responsible for the Unsheltered Adult Program which provides case management and supportive services to homeless single adults. She has a knack for developing effective programs as the need arises.

Ms. McDuffey works closely and effectively with multiple community partners and other agency programs in order to ensure clients have access to all available resources. She goes above and beyond to provide good customer service and to improve the community of Shasta County.

DULY PASSED AND ADOPTED this 5th day of December, 2017 by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Shasta by the following vote:

AYES: NOES: ABSENT: ABSTAIN: RECUSE: DAVID A. KEHOE, CHAIRMAN Board of Supervisors County of Shasta State of California

ATTEST:

LAWRENCE G. LEES Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By_____

Deputy