RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF SHASTA RECOGNIZING BRIAN ABBOTT, CLINICAL PROGRAM COORDINATOR OF THE SHASTA COUNTY HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES AGENCY, AS OCTOBER 2018 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 Brian Abbott, Clinical Program Coordinator of the Shasta County health and Human Services Agency, is hereby named Shasta County Employee of the Month for October 2018; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Mr. Abbott is always looking to create new systems or better ways to serve the children and families receiving intensive treatment services. He brought training to our area that increased knowledge of staff regarding engaging families, which increased family's parenting ability and supported reunification.

Upon hearing of the need for a front end process, Mr. Abbott assisted in creating a pilot WRAP (Wraparound) program to serve families prior to child welfare involvement. The WRAP is a collaborative approach to care that encourages coordination across agencies, disciplines, and communities to enhance outcomes for children and families. The WRAP Pilot has assisted families in providing support, information, and treatment so they do not need to come into the foster care system and families can remain together.

Along with his normal duties, Mr. Abbott has taken on new assignments, staff, and programs that help meet the new regulatory requirements of Continuum of Care Reform. An example of a new initiative is Presumptive Transfer. Mr. Abbott worked as a participant to provide oversight, direction, and treatment of youth being transferred to Shasta County. He coordinated services and collaborated with the foster youth's team to ensure the treatment needs of each youth are being met.

DULY PASSED AND ADOPTED this 2nd day of October, 2018, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Shasta by the following vote:

AYES:	
NOES:	
ABSENT:	
ABSTAIN:	
RECUSE:	

LES BAUGH, CHAIRMAN
Board of Supervisors
County of Shasta
State of California

ATTEST:	
LAWRENCE G. LEES Clerk of the Board of Supervisors	
By Deputy	