RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF SHASTA RECOGNIZING JENNIFER BROOKS, PROBATION ASSISTANT PROBATION DEPARTMENT AS FEBRUARY 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 Jennifer Brooks, Probation Assistant, Probation Department is hereby named Shasta County Employee of the Month for February 2017; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Jennifer Brooks served as the low-risk case load officer, and currently works with the Youth Violence Prevention Council and is the Probation Department's liaison with the Nurse Family Partnership (NFP). As the liaison she works with many departments including the District Attorney's Office and the Public Defender's Office to assure clients are receiving the necessary services while pregnant. Due to Ms. Brooks ability to work collaboratively and with other agencies, she has increased enrollment in NFP and has been able to connect several clients with services.

Ms. Brooks designed a self-esteem and boundaries program for the girls in the Juvenile Rehabilitation Facility (JFR) because she saw a need and believed she could help. She is a stabilizing factor in our Juvenile Division and regularly volunteers to assist in the Adult Division working the reception desk where she makes contact with 75-90 people a day. She believes in the value of service to others and human relationships. These values can be seen in her daily interactions with the families she works with and the relationships she has built with other agencies. Community partners have specifically indicated that Ms. Brooks is a role model for other county employees and exemplifies the high standard we expect from all public employees.

DULY PASSED AND ADOPTED this 28th day of February 2017 by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Shasta by the following vote:

AYES: NOES: ABSENT:

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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