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MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE COUNTY OF LAKE AND THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA PERTAINING TO ASSISTANCE UNDER THE LAW ENFORCEMENT MUTUAL AID PLAN

WHEREAS, on July 27, 2018, conditions of extreme peril to the safety of persons and property threatened the areas of Lake County, known as the Mendocino Complex Fire; and

WHEREAS, a mandatory evacuation order was issued for several communities of Lake County; and

WHEREAS, on July 28, 2018, in response to the declaration of a local emergency, approved by the Lake County Board of Supervisors on July 30, 2018 as well as Fire Management Assistance Grant (FMAG) #5262; and

WHEREAS, the Law Enforcement Mutual Aid Plan is issued and revised under the authority of Sections 8550, 8569, 8615 through 8619 and 8668 of the California Government Code, the California Emergency Plan and the Master Mutual Aid Agreement; and

WHEREAS, the Law Enforcement Mutual Aid Plan delineates the current state policy concerning law enforcement mutual aid; and

WHEREAS, the Law Enforcement Mutual Aid Plan describes the standard procedures used to acquire law enforcement mutual aid resources and the method to ensure coordination of law enforcement mutual aid planning and readiness; and

WHEREAS, the county sheriff is the Operational Area Law Enforcement and Mutual Aid Coordinator; and

WHEREAS, the Law Enforcement Mutual Aid Plan provides, in pertinent part, "When an emergency develops or appears to be developing which cannot be resolved by a law enforcement agency within an Operational Area, it is the responsibility of the Operational Area Mutual Aid Coordinator to provide assistance and coordination to control the problem"; and

WHEREAS, the Law Enforcement Mutual Aid Plan provides, in pertinent part, "A request for law enforcement mutual aid requires the approval of the chief law enforcement officer of the requesting jurisdiction"; and

WHEREAS, the Sheriff of the County of Lake requested the mutual aid assistance of the County of Alameda pursuant to the Law Enforcement Mutual Aid Plan to support law enforcement services in connection with the Mendocino Complex Fire; and

WHEREAS, the County of Alameda provided mutual aid assistance consisting of, but not limited to, law enforcement personnel, jail housing, food, supplies and inmate transportation from July 28, 2018 through August 4, 2018, to assist with law enforcement services in connection with the Mendocino Complex Fire; and

WHEREAS, the County of Alameda agrees to document all of its mutual aid assistance costs related to the Mendocino Complex Fire as attachments to the MOU and submit to the County of Lake as soon as practicable; and

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY AGREED, by and between the County of Lake and the County of Alameda, that the County of Lake may reimburse all reasonable costs associated with the County of Alameda's law enforcement mutual aid assistance during the Mendocino Complex Fire.

Executed at Lakeport, California, on the day and year first written above.

COUNTY OF LAKE

COUNTY OF ALAMEDA

Jim Steele, Chairman
Board of Supervisors

ATTEST: Carol J. Huchingson
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