

RESOLUTION NO. 20-19
FIXING THE EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION
UNDER THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' MEDICAL AND HOSPITAL CARE ACT
AT AN EQUAL AMOUNT FOR EMPLOYEES AND ANNUITANTS

- WHEREAS, (1) Humboldt County Association of Governments is a contracting agency under Government Code Section 22920 and subject to the Public Employees' Medical and Hospital Care Act (the "Act"); and
- WHEREAS, (2) Government Code Section 22892(a) provides that a contracting agency subject to Act shall fix the amount of the employer contribution by resolution; and
- WHEREAS, (3) Government Code Section 22892(b) provides that the employer contribution shall be an equal amount for both employees and annuitants, but may not be less than the amount prescribed by Section 22892(b) of the Act; now, therefore be it
- RESOLVED, (a) That the employer contribution for each employee or annuitant shall be the amount necessary to pay the full cost of his/her enrollment, including the enrollment of family members, in a health benefits plan up to a maximum of the **PEMHCA minimum** per month, plus administrative fees and Contingency Reserve Fund assessments; and be it further
- RESOLVED, (b) Humboldt County Association of Governments has fully complied with any and all applicable provisions of Government Code Section 7507 in electing the benefits set forth above; and be it further
- RESOLVED, (c) That the participation of the employees and annuitants of Humboldt County Association of Governments shall be subject to determination of its status as an "agency or instrumentality of the state or political subdivision of a State" that is eligible to participate in a governmental plan within the meaning of Section 414(d) of the Internal Revenue Code, upon publication of final Regulations pursuant to such Section. If it is determined that Humboldt County Association of Governments would not qualify as an agency or instrumentality of the state or political subdivision of a State under such final Regulations, CalPERS may be obligated, and reserves the right to terminate the health coverage of all participants of the employer; and be it further
- RESOLVED, (d) That the executive body appoint and direct, and it does hereby appoint and

direct, the Executive Director to file with the Board a verified copy of this resolution, and to perform on behalf of Humboldt County Association of Governments all functions required of it under the Act; and be it further

RESOLVED, (e) That coverage under the Act be effective on **January 1, 2021**.

Adopted at a regular meeting of the Humboldt County Association of Governments at 611 I Street, Eureka CA, this 17 day of September, 2020.

Signed: _____
Estelle Fennell, HCAOG Chair

Attest: _____
Christie Smith, HCAOG Executive Assistant