## **RESOLUTION 2025-7**

## HOPLAND FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING A REQUEST TO THE MENDOCINO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FOR A LOAN FROM A PORTION OF THE EXISTING COLLECTED CHIEF'S TOT TAX

WHEREAS, the Hopland Fire Protection District is facing a cash need due to the abrupt revocation of the verbal funding agreement from Mendocino County,

WHEREAS, per the request of our District Supervisor, Madeline Cline, the District requested a vote and authorization from the Mendocino County Chiefs Association for a loan of \$100,000 to meet the current operating financial needs of the district,

WHERAS, on October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2025 the Mendocino County Chiefs Association authorized the loan from the 25% of Measure D transient occupancy tax collected in FY 22-23, 23-24, 24-25 being held in the County Treasury for future disbursement to the Mendocino County Chiefs Association and with repayment of the loan to the Chiefs Association from the District's first tax revenue disbursement for the fiscal year 2025-2026.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, the Hopland Fire Protection District, requests that the Mendocino County Board of Supervisors and the County Treasury, immediately transfers \$100,000 from the funds held for the Mendocino County Chiefs Association to the Hopland Fire Protection District fund 3550 and the County Treasury use \$100,000 of the district's first tax revenue disbursement to repay the loan to the Mendocino County Chiefs Association.

The foregoing resolution was introduced by Director Mastin, seconded by Director Roderick and adopted on the 17th day of October 2025 by the following roll call vote:

AYES: Smith, Mastin, Roderick

NAYS: None

ABSENT: Jensen, Trimble

ABSTAIN: None

Gregg Smith, Chairman

Attest:

Rebecca Stone, District Clerk