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Mendocino County Board of Supervisors 501 Low Gap Road, Room 1010 Ukiah, CA 95482

RE: ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS AND AWARD DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION CONTRACT NUMBER 200093 FOR CONSTRUCTION OF THE ACKERMAN CREEK BRIDGE REPLACEMENT ON NORTH STATE STREET, COUNTY ROAD 104, MILEPOST 0.97, AT AN ESTIMATED COST OF \$9,889,000 (UKIAH AREA)

Honorable Board Members:

The Mendocino County Department of Transportation (DOT) Contract Number (No.) 200093 will provide for construction of the Ackerman Creek Bridge Replacement on North State Street, County Road, 104, milepost 0.97. This project is for construction of a new concrete and steel bridge on the same alignment and streambed restoration. The project is anticipated to span the two construction seasons.

A general contractor will be required to complete this project at an estimated cost of \$9,889,000, including contingency. The project is to be funded primarily through the FHWA Highway Bridge Program (HBP), with the local match funded through the College Redevelopment Agency grant funds and the Road Fund.

DOT has requested and is waiting for authorization for construction from FHWA. Federal rules prohibit advertising for bids until receipt of construction authorization. It would be expedient for DOT to be able to advertise for construction bids as soon as FHWA authorizes construction of the project.

I recommend and request that the Board authorize and direct the Director of Transportation, upon receipt of construction authorization from FHWA, to advertise for construction bids and award DOT Contract No. 200093 to construct the Ackerman Creek Bridge Replacement on North State Street.

DOT staff personnel have prepared a draft Resolution which provides said authorization for the Board's consideration and adoption.

I will, of course, respond to any questions the Board may have.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Enclosure

cc: DOT Project File A-1101