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Mendocino County Board of Supervisors
501 Low Gap Road, Room 1010
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RE: ADOPTION OF RESOLUTION APPROVING DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AGREEMENT NUMBER 250047 WITH SHN CONSULTING ENGINEERS AND GEOLOGISTS, INC., IN THE AMOUNT OF \$147,569 FOR ENVIRONMENTAL PROFESSIONAL SERVICES, AND AUTHORIZING A CONTINGENCY AMOUNT OF \$14,757, FOR MITIGATION MONITORING AND MAINTENANCE FOR THE LAMBERT LANE BRIDGE OVER ROBINSON CREEK REPLACEMENT PROJECT (BOONVILLE AREA)

Honorable Board Members:

The Lambert Lane Bridge over Robinson Creek, located on County Road 123A, is a scour critical and functionally obsolete bridge which is currently being replaced. This project is funded through the Federal Highway Administration (FHWA) Highway Bridge Program (HBP), with the local match funded through Toll Credits.

Regulatory agency permits for this project require vegetation mitigation monitoring and maintenance for a minimum of five years following construction. Department of Transportation (DOT) staff do not have the time, personnel, or expertise to effectively perform this mitigation monitoring and maintenance work, so we have undergone a qualification-based selection process to find a qualified consultant to perform the work that meets the requirements of the FHWA and the permitting agencies.

SHN Consulting Engineers and Geologists, Inc. (SHN) has provided a satisfactory proposal indicating that they will perform the required work within the stipulated time frame for a not-to-exceed amount of \$147,569. This work includes vegetation monitoring, reporting, and developing treatment recommendations, and preparing plans, specifications, and estimate (PS&E) packages and technical documentation for a separate construction contract for any physical work deemed necessary. It is anticipated that additional tasks may arise during the five years. Therefore, DOT believes it would be prudent to authorize the Director of Transportation to execute the necessary

amendments to DOT Agreement No. 250047 up to a 10% contingency of \$14,757, for timely completion of the project.

I therefore recommend and request the Board authorize and direct the Director of Transportation to award DOT Agreement No. 250047 for Vegetation Mitigation Monitoring and Maintenance Services to SHN for the Lambert Lane Bridge over Robinson Creek Replacement Project. DOT staff have prepared a draft Resolution for the Board's consideration.

I will, of course, respond to any questions that you may have.

Respectfully submitted,



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cc: DOT Project 3041-B1302VEG