RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

**OF THE COUNTY OF SISKIYOU**

**DESIGNATING A HEARING OFFICER FOR PURPOSES OF CHAPTER 10.14 OF THE SISKIYOU COUNTY CODE**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code section 27720, the Board of Supervisors previously established the office of the County Hearing Officer under Resolution 16-184; and

WHEREAS, the duties of the office are to conduct hearings for the county or any board, agency, commission, or committee of the county; and

 WHEREAS, the County has entered into an Agreement for Hearing Officer Services with Maire & Deedon Inc. an independent contractor (the “Organization”); and

WHEREAS, the Board desires that the Organization provide hearing officers to serve as the County Hearing Officer pursuant to the provisions of Government Code section 27720, *et seq.,* and to serve as hearing officers under Chapter 10.14 of the Siskiyou County Code; and

 WHEREAS, pursuant to Government Code section 25845, the Board of Supervisors, for the purposes of its Marijuana Cultivation Ordinance, has authorized delegation of the power and duties specified in section 25845 to a person or body authorized to act on the Board’s behalf (*see* Siskiyou County Code section 10-14-090(c) and (d)); and

WHEREAS, the Board desires to designate the Organization’s Hearing Officers appointed pursuant to Government Code section 27720 to act on the Board’s behalf under the County’s Marijuana Cultivation Ordinance.

 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that:

1. The Siskiyou County Board of Supervisors affirms the Office of the County Hearing Officer previously established in Resolution 16-184.
2. The duties and responsibilities of the County Hearing Officer are those set forth in Government Code section 27721 and 27722, which are incorporated herein by reference.
3. The County has entered into an Agreement for Services with Maire & Deedon LLC, an independent contractor, to serve as the County Hearing Officer pursuant to the provisions of Government Code section 27720, *et seq*.

 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that pursuant to Siskiyou County Code section 10-14-090, the County Hearing Officer is the person or body authorized to act on the Board’s behalf to hold or dispense with hearings and to render final decisions pursuant to that section.

 PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Siskiyou County Board of Supervisors at a regular meeting of said Board, held on the 1st day of February, 2022, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

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Brandon A. Criss, Chair

Siskiyou County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

LAURA BYNUM,

COUNTY CLERK

By \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_