# RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF SISKIYOU THANKING DENNIS TANABE FOR HIS SERVICE TO THE COUNTY

WHEREAS, Dennis Tanabe began his career with the County of Siskiyou as an extra help Attorney III in the Public Defender’s Office on May 8, 1998, was hired as a full time Attorney III on March 3, 2000, and he continued working there until March 29, 2001; and

WHEREAS, from March 2001 until November 2002, Mr. Tanabe worked in the private sector as an attorney in Siskiyou County; and

WHEREAS, in December 2002, Mr. Tanabe became an Attorney III for County Counsel’s Office, and in November 2006, was promoted to Attorney IV for the County Counsel’s Office; and

WHEREAS, during his time with the Siskiyou County Counsel’s Office Mr. Tanabe served as the lead Deputy County Counsel specifically assigned to represent the Health and Human Services Agency for the last 20 years, during which time he utilized his deep knowledge and expertise to ensure every protection under the law for the County’s most vulnerable populations including children, the elderly and those unable to protect themselves; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Tanabe’s guidance, counsel and support regarding the professional development of numerous County employees has benefited the County and those he counseled and is much appreciated; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Tanabe displayed through the performance of his duties the highest standards of personal ethics, professional competency, and dedication; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Tanabe’s contributions as a thoughtful, hard-working, kind, detail-oriented, knowledgeable and dedicated professional are unparalleled and will be greatly missed by the County, the Court, and his colleagues; and

WHEREAS, after having been a dedicated public servant for over 23 years, Mr. Tanabe will retire on March 15, 2022, in order to pursue personal interests, his golfing career and enjoy retired life.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Siskiyou County Board of Supervisors of the County of Siskiyou recognizes Dennis Tanabe for his 23 years of exemplary public service to the citizens of Siskiyou County, and congratulates him on a well-earned retirement.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Siskiyou County Board of Supervisors at a regular meeting of said Board, held on the 1st day of March, 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

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