

## **Resolution #23-04**

of the

### **Mendocino County Russian River Flood Control & Water Conservation Improvement District**

#### **Authorizing the State of California Social Security Program for California Public Agencies**

**WHEREAS**, Russian River Flood Control & Water Conservation Improvement District Board of Trustees, hereinafter referred to as the "Board of Trustees," desires to include services performed by its employees in positions covered by California Public Employees' Retirement System in the California State Social Security Agreement of March 9, 1951, providing for the coverage of public employees under the old age, survivors, disability and health insurance system established by the Federal Social Security Act, as amended; and

**WHEREAS**, State and Federal laws require, as a condition of such coverage, that an election first be authorized by the Board of Administration, Public Employees' Retirement System, and conducted among the "eligible employees" (as defined in Section 218(d)(3) of the Social Security Act) of the Public Agency; and

**WHEREAS**, it is necessary that the "Public Agency" now designate any classes of positions covered by said retirement system which it desires to exclude from coverage under said insurance system;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Administration, Public Employees' Retirement System be, and hereby is requested to authorize the foregoing election; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that upon receipt of authorization from the Board of Administration, an election shall be conducted in accordance with the requirements of Section 218(d) of the Social Security Act, and applicable State and Federal laws and regulations; that such election shall be held on the question of whether service in positions covered by said retirement system should be excluded from or included under an agreement under the insurance system established under the Social Security Act, as hereinbefore provided, with such coverage effective as to services performed on and after January 1, 2016; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the following classes of positions covered by said retirement system of the "Public Agency" shall be excluded from coverage under said agreement:

1. All services excluded from coverage under the agreement by Section 218 of the Social Security Act; and
2. Services excluded by option of the Public Agency: Service performed by Elected Officials, Fee-based positions, Agricultural labor, Student services

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that not less than ninety days' notice of such election be given to all "eligible employees" as hereinabove provided; and that Elizabeth Salomone, General Manager is hereby designated and appointed to conduct such election on behalf of the "Public Agency" in accordance with law, regulations, and this resolution, including the giving of proper notice thereof to all such "eligible employees"; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that with respect to eligible members thereof, the benefits and contributions of the said retirement system shall not be modified in any way; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Public Agency will pay and reimburse the State at such time and in such amounts as may be determined by the State the approximate cost of any and all work and services relating to such election.

**ADOPTED** 2<sup>nd</sup> of October, 2022, by the Board of Trustees of the Mendocino County Russian River Flood Control & Water Conservation Improvement District, by the following vote:

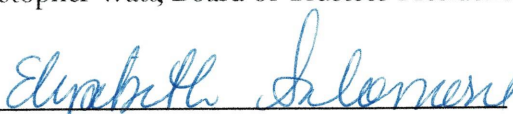
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Tyler Rodrigue, Trustee	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes / No / Abstain / Absent
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Signed:

  
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Christopher Watt, Board of Trustees President

9/18/22  
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Attest:

  
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Elizabeth Salomone, General Manager

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