

RESOLUTION NO: 2017-04-20

**A RESOLUTION OF THE REGIONAL TASK FORCE ON THE HOMELESS IN
SUPPORT OF CRITICAL FEDERAL PROGRAMS AND RESOURCES**

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), and other federal agencies provide critical funding and services that assist people experiencing homelessness and prevent families and individuals from becoming homeless; and

WHEREAS, on March 16, 2017, the President released a discretionary spending plan that broadly proposes cuts to non-defense discretionary funding, including a proposed elimination of programs and agencies that affect the issue of homelessness; and

WHEREAS, HUD's Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program provides communities flexible funding to address local needs including millions of dollars in funding for services to homeless families in the San Diego region; and

WHEREAS, HUD's HOME Investments Partnership Program assists San Diego and other communities with financing the construction and preservation of affordable housing; and

WHEREAS, HHS's Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) Program provides flexible funding for communities to administer services to reduce poverty, revitalize low-income neighborhoods and serve special populations; and

WHEREAS, the U.S. interagency Council on Homelessness (USICH) provides the highest level of coordination amongst 19 federal agencies and aligns those efforts with strategic support to states and communities to drive action and proven results, including more than 30 communities and two states achieving an end to veteran homelessness; and

WHEREAS, the loss of these and other non-defense discretionary programs and services that serve and protect low-income and homeless households would harm efforts to end homelessness San Diego County; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Regional Task Force on the Homeless that: It affirms its support of full funding for programs at HUD, HHS and other federal agencies that fund critical services and housing that prevent and ameliorate homelessness.

[END OF RESOLUTION]

SECRETARY'S CERTIFICATE

I, Karen Brailean, Secretary of the Board of Directors of the Regional Task Force on the Homeless, Inc., a California nonprofit public benefit corporation, County of San Diego, California, hereby certify as follows:

The attached is a full, true, and correct copy of a resolution duly adopted at a regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Regional Task Force on the Homeless, Inc., which was duly and regularly held on the 20th day of April, 2017, at which meeting all of the members of the Board of Directors had due notice and at which a quorum thereof was present; and at such meeting such resolution was adopted by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSTAIN:

ABSENT:

WITNESS my hand this ____ day of April, 2017.

Secretary of the Board of Directors of the
Regional Task Force on the Homeless, Inc.