



# County of Santa Barbara

## BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

### Minute Order

January 24, 2023

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**Present:** 5 - Supervisor Williams, Supervisor Capps, Supervisor Hartmann, Supervisor Nelson, and Supervisor Lavagnino

BEHAVIORAL WELLNESS DEPARTMENT

File Reference No. 23-00059

**RE:** Consider recommendations regarding a Mental Health Services Act Innovation (INN) Project Plan Application for Fiscal Years (FYs) 2022-2027: Housing Assistance and Retention Team (HART), as follows:

a) Approve and authorize the Director of the Department of Behavioral Wellness or designee to submit a FYs 2022-2027 INN Project Plan application to the Mental Health Services Oversight and Accountability Commission (MHSOAC), for the HART project which serves to increase retention within the County's permanent supportive housing programs, requesting a total of \$7,552,606.00 from the MHSOAC over the estimated period of February 1, 2023 through June 30, 2027; and

b) Determine that the above action is a government funding mechanism or other government fiscal activity, which does not involve any commitment to any specific project that may result in a potentially significant physical impact on the environment, and is an organizational or administrative activity of the government that will not result in direct or indirect physical changes in the environment and is therefore not a project under the California Environmental Quality Act (CEQA) pursuant to Section 15378(b)(4) and (b)(5) of the CEQA Guidelines.

**A motion was made by Supervisor Lavagnino, seconded by Supervisor Hartmann, that this matter be acted on as follows:**

**a) Approved and authorized; and**

**b) Approved.**

**The motion carried by the following vote:**

**Ayes:** 5 - Supervisor Williams, Supervisor Capps, Supervisor Hartmann, Supervisor Nelson, and Supervisor Lavagnino