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July 2, 2024

The Honorable Gavin Newsom  
Governor of the State of California  
1021 O Street, Suite 9000  
Sacramento, CA 95814

Re: Board of Supervisors Resolution No. 352-24

Dear Governor Newsom:

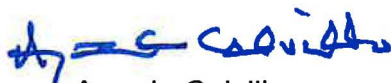
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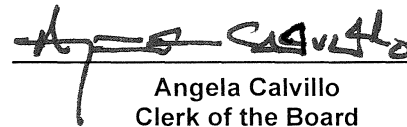
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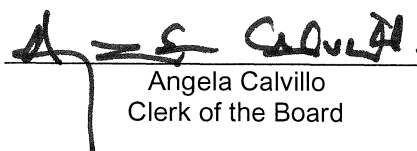
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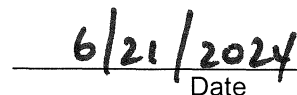
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California State Senator  
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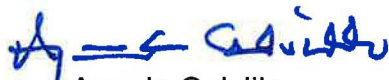
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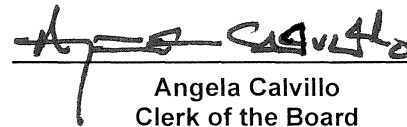
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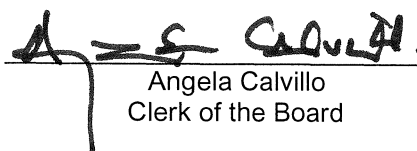
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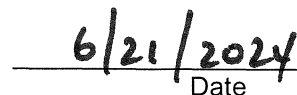
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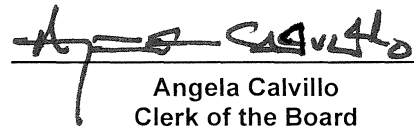
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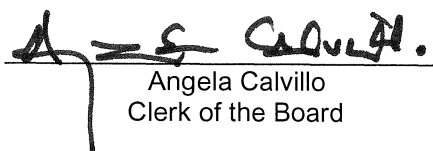
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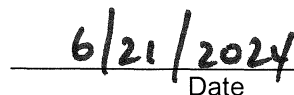
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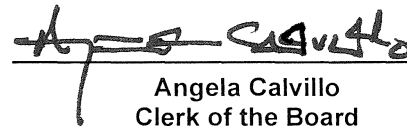
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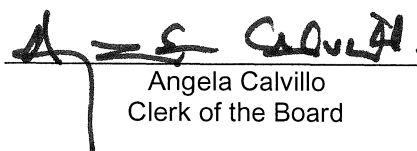
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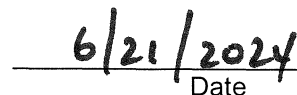
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The Honorable Phil Ting  
California State Assembly Member  
California State Capitol  
1021 O Street, Suite 5220  
P.O. Box 942849  
Sacramento, CA 94249-0019

Re: Board of Supervisors Resolution No. 352-24

Dear Assembly Member Ting:

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The Board of Supervisors directs the Clerk of the Board to forward the following document to your attention:

- One copy of Resolution No. 352-24 (File No. 240660)

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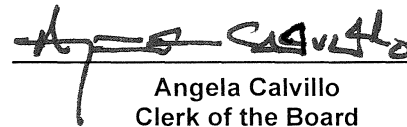
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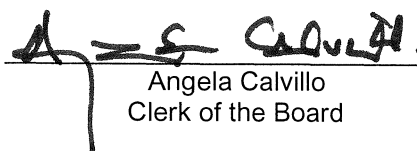
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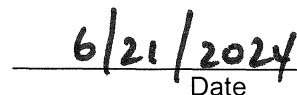
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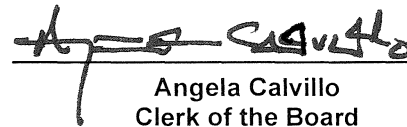
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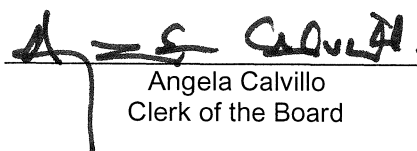
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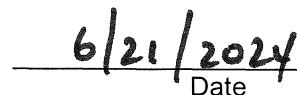
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