RESOLUTION NO. 4313-2020

RESOLUTION OF THE FORT BRAGG CITY COUNCIL RATIFYING THE CITY MANAGER'S EXECUTION OF A MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING WITH ADVENTIST HEALTH MENDOCINO COAST

WHEREAS, on September 14, 2020, representatives of Adventist Health Mendocino Coast (AHMC) requested the City of Fort Bragg execute a Memorandum of Understanding to allow AHMC to apply for enrollment in the drug discount program established under Section 340B of the Public Health Services Act (340B Program); and

WHEREAS, the updated application was necessary as part of Adventist Health's lease and management of the former Mendocino Coast Hospital District acute care facility located at 700 River Drive, Fort Bragg, California and was due on September 14, 2020; and

WHEREAS, the 340B Program and MOU requires that AHMC commit to providing health care to low-income patients who do not qualify for social security benefits or Medicaid; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager, Tabatha Miller, signed the MOU authorizing AHMC to submit the application to enroll in the 340B Program; and

WHEREAS, if the City Council does not ratify the MOU signed by the City Manager, it will be terminated with 60 days, as set forth in the terms.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of Fort Bragg does hereby ratify and approve the Memorandum of Understanding executed on behalf of the City with Adventist Health Mendocino Coast on September 14, 2020.

The above and foregoing Resolution was introduced by Councilmember Morsell-Haye, seconded by Councilmember Albin-Smith, and passed and adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council of the City of Fort Bragg held on the 28th day of September, 2020, by the following vote:

AYES: Councilmembers Albin-Smith, Morsell-Haye and Peters.

NOES: None. ABSENT: None. ABSTAIN: None.

RECUSED: Councilmember Norvell and Mayor Lee.

LINDY PETERS

Mayor Pro Tem

ATTEST:

June Lemos, CMC City Clerk