RESOLUTION NO.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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RESOLUTION RESTATING RESOLUTION 61970 AUTHORIZING CONTRIBUTION TO SAMCERA'S 401 (H) RESERVE ACCOUNT

RESOLVED, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, that

WHEREAS, SamCERA is not empowered to provide retiree health benefits on a tax-free basis unless the Board of Supervisors provides the funding for a program that complies with Internal Revenue Code §401(h) with contributions to a 401(h) Reserve Account; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Retirement has adopted Resolution number 06-07-07 clarify the operation of its 401(h) Reserve Account and to reconfirm the operation of such Reserve Account with respect to Medicare Part-B premium reimbursements; and

WHEREAS, after fiscal year 2003, this Board ceased designating any contributions to SamCERA as being for the 401(h) Reserve Account and no benefits have paid by SamCERA for medical benefits thereafter; and

WHEREAS, even though no contributions are currently being made to the SamCERA 401(h) Reserve Account it is appropriate for the Board of Supervisors, as the governing body of the employer that sponsors SamCERA, to approve Resolution number 06-07-07 of the Board of Retirement; and

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY DETERMINED AND ORDERED that the following shall apply:

- Board of Retirement Resolution number 06-07-07 setting out the terms and conditions of the operation of SamCERA's 401(h) Reserve Account, is approved.
- 2. No existing or future County employee, retiree, spouse or dependent shall have any vested rights, contractual rights or other rights in or to any retiree medical benefits or payment or subsidy for any such benefits, nor shall any such person have any such rights to have the County contribute toward paying the cost of any retiree health benefits provided by SamCERA under a 401(h) Reserve Account or otherwise.
- 3. The Board of Supervisors may modify or terminate, at any time and without any limitation, its decision (if any) to contribute to SamCERA's 401(h) Reserve Account. This modification or termination may occur even if it may affect any employee first hired prior to the date of such modification, any person who retired prior to such date, and/or any person who became a spouse or dependent of an employee or retiree prior to such date.
- The County Manager, the County Treasurer and the Auditor-Controller are authorized and directed to take all action necessary and appropriate to carry out this resolution.

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