APPROVED BY ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

BCC Mtg. Date: December 14, 2021

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RESOLUTION

of the ORANGE COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS regarding CERTIFICATION OF USE OF FLORIDA EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES GRANT ACT FUNDS

Resolution No. 2021-M-55

WHEREAS, the Florida Emergency Medical Services Grant Act codified in Chapter 401, Part II, Florida Statutes ("Act"), authorizes the Florida Department of Health to make grants to boards of county commissioners in accordance with agreements entered into pursuant to the Act; and

WHEREAS, the Act requires that grant funds disbursed from the Emergency Medical Services Trust Fund be used solely to improve and expand prehospital emergency medical services; and

WHEREAS, approximately each year the Board of County Commissioners of Orange County ("Board") applies to the Florida Department of Health for a county award grant using DH Form 1684, EMS County Grant Application, December 2008, contained in the EMS County Grant Program Application Package, December 2008, in accordance with Rule 64J-1.015, Florida Administrative Code ("Application"); and

WHEREAS, the Application requires a resolution from the Board certifying that the grant funds will improve and expand the county pre-hospital EMS system and will not be used to supplant current levels of county expenditures; and

WHEREAS, the Application states that the Florida Department of Health cannot process the Application for funds without said resolution.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY

COMMISSIONERS OF ORANGE COUNTY:

Section 1. Recitals. The above recitals are hereby incorporated into this

Resolution.

Section 2. Certification. The Board hereby certifies that the grant funds will

improve and expand the county pre-hospital EMS system and will not be used to supplant

current levels of county expenditures.

Section 3. Effective date. This Resolution shall take effect upon the date of its

adoption.

ADOPTED THIS _____ DAY OF DEC 1 4 2021, 2021. **ORANGE COUNTY, FLORIDA** By: Orange County Board of County Commissioners By: Demings Drange County Mayor ATTEST: Phil Diamond, CPA, County Comptroller As Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners BY: Cherk Deputy Clerk

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