

RESOLUTION NO. _____

RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA ROSA DESIGNATING SANTA ROSA FIRE STATIONS AS SAFE SURRENDER SITES

WHEREAS, California Health and Safety Code Section 1255.7(h) – part of the California Safely Surrendered Baby Law – establishes a procedure for the voluntary surrender of a baby within 72 hours of birth. Under this law, parent(s)/legal custodian(s) can safely surrender their baby and be protected from prosecution for child abandonment; and

WHEREAS, the Fire Department presented a Staff Briefing to Council on April 4, 2012, outlining the steps necessary for approval from Sonoma County Board of Supervisors and a plan to ask Council for approval for implementation. The motivation for this program was developed from a pledge of customer service to the citizens of Santa Rosa; and

WHEREAS, on April 24, 2012, the Sonoma County Board of Supervisors adopted a Resolution No. 12-0193 designating all ten (10) Santa Rosa Fire Stations as Safe Surrender Sites; and

WHEREAS, the Fire Department has created a Standard Operating Procedure and completed in-service training for the Fire Department and all stake holders; the Police Department, Sonoma County employees, ambulance employees and local hospital staff.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Santa Rosa designates the ten (10) Santa Rosa Fire Stations as Safe Surrender Sites as follows:

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| Station 1 – 955 Sonoma Avenue | Station 6 – 205 Calistoga Road |
| Station 2 – 65 Stony Point Road | Station 7 – 6590 Stonebridge Road |
| Station 3 – 3311 Coffey Lane | Station 8 – 830 Burbank Avenue |
| Station 4 – 1775 Yulupa Avenue | Station 10 – 1345 Corporate Center Parkway |
| Station 5 – 3480 Parker Hill Road | Station 11 – 550 Lewis Road. |

IN COUNCIL DULY PASSED this _____ day of _____, 2013.

- AYES:
- NOES:
- ABSENT:
- ABSTAIN:

ATTEST: _____
City Clerk

APPROVED: _____
Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney