

RESOLUTION NO. RES-2019-065

RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA ROSA APPROVING A PROFESSIONAL SERVICES AGREEMENT WITH LEGAL AID OF SONOMA COUNTY FOR TENANT ADVOCACY AND LEGAL REPRESENTATION SERVICES IN AN AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED \$87,000

WHEREAS, on March 7, 2017, the Council, by motion, approved \$20,000 of General Fund funding to Legal Aid of Sonoma County to provide renter advocacy and legal representation; and

WHEREAS, on September 26, 2017, by RES-2017-198, the Council approved an agreement with Legal Aid of Sonoma County to provide renter advocacy and legal representation services in the amount of \$87,000 for the period October 1, 2017 – September 30, 2018; and

WHEREAS, on October 16, 2018, by RES-2018-179, the Council approved an agreement with Legal Aid of Sonoma County to continue renter advocacy and legal representation services in the amount of \$62,500 for the period of October 1, 2018 – June 30, 2019; and

WHEREAS, Council desires to continue these services and there is \$87,000 of General Fund budget in the Housing & Community Services FY 2019/20 budget designated for continuation of this agreement for another year, commencing July 1, 2019.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Council of the City of Santa Rosa approves the Professional Services Agreement with Legal Aid of Sonoma County, attached as Exhibit A to the Resolution, in an amount not to exceed \$87,000.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Council authorizes the Chief Financial Officer to pay all proper costs and claims for the Agreement from charge key 380311 – “Tenant/Landlord Svcs Support” for these purposes.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the Council that Exhibit A is made part of this Resolution.

IN COUNCIL DULY PASSED this 18th day of June, 2019.

AYES: (6) Mayor Schwedhelm, Vice Mayor Rogers, Council Members Combs, Fleming, Sawyer, Tibbetts
NOES: (0)
ABSENT: (1) Council Member Olivares
ABSTAIN: (0)

ATTEST: _____ APPROVED: _____
City Clerk Mayor

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

City Attorney

Exhibit A – Professional Services Agreement with Legal Aid of Sonoma County