**RESOLUTION NO. 2017-151**

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF NAPA COUNTY, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, INCREASING FEES FOR SERVICES PROVIDED BY THE PUBLIC HEALTH VITAL STATISTICS OFFICE

 **WHEREAS**, there is a need to increase the fees charged by Napa County to comply with California Assembly Bills 1745, 1053, 110 and 52, which mandated a combined state fee increase of $9.00 per death and fetal death certificate, $11 per birth certificate, and $1 per permit for the disposition of human remains; and

 **WHEREAS**, Sections 100430, 103525, 103525.5, 103625 (a), (b), (f) and (l), 103675, and 103680 (a), (b), and (c) of the California Health and Safety Code establish fees to be collected by the County to provide certified copies of birth, death and fetal death records and issue permits for the disposition of human remains; and

 **WHEREAS**, at least fourteen days prior to the date this resolution is to be considered, notice was mailed to those persons who had requested same; and

 **WHEREAS**, at least ten days prior to the date this resolution is to be considered, data was made available to the public indicating the amount of cost, or estimated cost, required to provide the service for which the fee or service charge is levied and the revenue sources anticipated to provide the service, including general fund revenues; and

 **WHEREAS**, notice of the hearing of the proposed fees increase was published twice in the manner set forth in section 6062a as required by section 66018, subdivision (a), of the Government Code; and

 **NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** by the Board of Supervisors of Napa County as follows:

1. The Board hereby increases, those fees shown as added (by underlining) or deleted (by strike-out) on Exhibit “A”, attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein;

2. The Board hereby directs the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Napa County to integrate the changes approved above into Section III of the Board Policy Manual, “Fees for Services Provided by County Departments and Agencies” in the manner set forth in Exhibit “B”, attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein,

1. The Board finds this Resolution is statutorily exempt from the California Environmental Quality Act pursuant to Title 14, California Code of Regulations, section 15273(a)(1) and (2).

4. The increase of fees authorized by this Resolution shall become effective upon adoption.

 **THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION WAS DULY AND REGULARLY ADOPTED** by the Board of Supervisors of Napa County, State of California, at a regular meeting of said Board held on the 12th day of September, 2017, by the following vote:

 AYES: SUPERVISORS GREGORY, DILLON, WAGENKNECHT,

 PEDROZA and RAMOS

 NOES: SUPERVISORS NONE

 ABSTAIN: SUPERVISORS NONE

 ABSENT: SUPERVISORS NONE

NAPA COUNTY, a political subdivision of

the State of California

 By: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

 BELIA RAMOS, Chair of the

 Board of Supervisors

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| APPROVED AS TO FORMOffice of County CounselBy: Dylan Roy Deputy County CounselDate: July 12, 2017 | APPROVED BY THE NAPA COUNTYBOARD OF SUPERVISORSDate: September 12, 2017Processed By: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Deputy Clerk of the Board | ATTEST: GLADYS I. COILClerk of the Board of SupervisorsBy: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ |

**Exhibit “A”**

**Sec. 120.400 Vital Statistics Fees**

The fees established for burial permits and certified copies of birth, death and fetal death certificates are as follows:

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| **Description** | **Fee** |
|  |  |
| Birth Certificate (Original Issuance, Amendment or Informational) | $28.00 ~~$17.00~~ |
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| Death Certificate (Original Issuance, Amendment or Informational) | $21.00 ~~$12.00~~ |
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| Fetal Death Certificate | $18.00 ~~$9.00~~ |
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| Burial Permit | $12.00 ~~$11.00~~ |

**Exhibit “B”**

**Sec. 120.400 Vital Statistics Fees**

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