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2 **A RESOLUTION OF THE MONO COUNTY BEHAVIORAL HEALTH ADVISORY**
3 **BOARD AUTHORIZING REMOTE TELECONFERENCE MEETINGS**
4 **FOR THE PERIOD OF AUGUST 8, 2022 THROUGH SEPTEMBER 7, 2022 PURSUANT**
5 **TO AB 361**

6 **WHEREAS**, on March 4, 2020, Governor Newsom issued a Proclamation of State of
7 Emergency in response to the COVID-19 pandemic, which Proclamation remains in effect; and

8 **WHEREAS**, on March 17, 2020, Governor Newsom issued Executive Order N-29-20,
9 modifying the teleconferencing rules set forth in the California Open Meeting law, Government
10 Code section 54950 et seq. (the “Brown Act”), subject to compliance with certain requirements; and

11 **WHEREAS**, on June 11, 2021, Governor Newsom issued Executive Order N-08-21,
12 providing that the modifications would remain in place through September 30, 2021; and

13 **WHEREAS**, on September 16, 2021, Governor Newsom signed AB 361, providing that
14 a legislative body subject to the Brown Act may continue to meet under modified
15 teleconferencing rules if the meeting occurs during a proclaimed state of emergency and state or
16 local officials have imposed or recommended measures to promote social distancing; and

17 **WHEREAS**, the Local Health Officer and the Director of Mono County Public Health
18 have recommended that measures be implemented to promote social distancing, including the
19 holding of virtual meetings of legislative bodies within the County of Mono, a copy of that
20 recommendation is attached as an exhibit and incorporated herein; and

21 **WHEREAS**, in the interest of public health and safety, and in response to the local
22 recommendation for measures to promote social distancing, the Mono County Behavioral Health
23 Advisory Board (the “Legislative Body”) deems it necessary to invoke the provisions of AB 361
24 related to teleconferencing;

25 **NOW, THEREFORE, THE LEGISLATIVE BODY FINDS AND RESOLVES** that:

26 **SECTION ONE:** The recitals set forth above are true and correct and are adopted as
27 findings of the Legislative Body.

28 **SECTION TWO:** The Legislative Body has reconsidered the circumstances of the State
29 of Emergency.

30 **SECTION THREE:** State or local officials have recommended measures to promote
31 social distancing, including the holding of virtual meetings for legislative bodies within the
32 County of Mono that are subject to the Brown Act.

SECTION FOUR: Meetings of the Legislative Body shall be held 100% virtually
through September 7, 2022.

SECTION FIVE: Staff is directed to return to the Legislative Body no later than thirty
(30) days after the adoption of this resolution, or at the next meeting of the Legislative Body, if

1 later, for the Legislative Body to consider whether to again make the findings required to meet
2 under the modified teleconference procedures of AB 361.

3 **PASSED, APPROVED and ADOPTED** this 8th day of August, 2022, by the following
4 vote, to wit:

5 **AYES:**

6 **NOES:**

7 **ABSENT:**

8 **ABSTAIN:**

9 Carolyn Balliet, Chair