ALACHUA COUNTY BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

RESOLUTION NO. 2023 - 78

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ALACHUA COUNTY, FLORIDA; DISSOLVING THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE, MENTAL HEALTH, AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE GRANT PLANNING COMMITTEE; PROVIDING FOR AN AMENDMENT; AND PROVIDING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, the State of Florida, by way of Section 394.656, Florida Statutes, created the Criminal Justice, Mental Health, and Substance Abuse Reinvestment Grant Program; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the Grant was to help counties plan, implement, or expand initiatives that increase public safety, avert increased spending on criminal and juvenile justice systems, and improve the accessibility and effectiveness of treatment services for individuals who have a mental illness and/or substance abuse disorder and who are in, or at risk of entering, the criminal justice system; and

WHEREAS, the Grant Program required a local planning council or committee to be established; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Alachua County, Florida ("Board") established the standing Criminal Justice, Mental Health, and Substance Abuse Grant Planning Committee in Alachua County (also referred to as "CJMHSAG"); and

WHEREAS, the CJMHSAG served as an advisory committee to make recommendations to the Board regarding the Grant funding and related opportunities; and

WHEREAS, the Grant funding ended on March 31, 2023; and

WHEREAS, as a result, the Board finds that continuance of the advisory committee is not needed at this time.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ALACHUA COUNTY, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

SECTION 1. Recitals. The above recitals are correct and incorporated herein.

SECTION 2. <u>Dissolution</u>. The Board of County Commissioners of Alachua County, Florida ("Board") hereby dissolves the Criminal Justice, Mental Health, and Substance Abuse Grant Planning Committee in Alachua County effective September 12, 2023.

SECTION 3. Amendment. The Board may re-established the Committee, or a similar

Committee, upon a finding of necessity, requirement of law, new lines of funding, or other valid reason as determined by the Board and adoption of a new resolution.

SECTION 4. Effective Date. This Resolution will be effective upon approval of the Board of County Commissioners of Alachua County, Florida.

DULY ADOPTED in regular session, this 12th day of September, 2023.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF ALACHUA COUNTY, FLORIDA

ATTEST:

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J.K. "Jess" Irby, Esq. Clerk of Court

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By:

Anna Prizzia, Chair

Board of County Commissioners

APPROVED AS TO FORM

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Robert C Swain _______

County Attorney