BEFORE THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON

RESOLUTION NO. 2022-099

Authorizing the Annual Designation of a Portion of Compensation as a Housing Allowance for Chaplains Serving Inmates and Employees of the Multnomah County Sheriff's Office.

The Multnomah County Board of Commissioners Finds:

- a. The Multnomah County Sheriff's Office employs Lewis Kyle as a chaplain serving adults in custody and employees of the Multnomah County Sheriff's Office.
- b. The Sheriff's Office does not provide housing to chaplains.
- c. 26 USC § 107(2) allows clergy to exclude from the calculation of their gross income the housing allowance paid as part of their compensation, to the extent used by them to rent or provide a home.

The Multnomah County Board of Commissioners Resolves:

Lewis Kyle is allowed to designate \$40,000 of his compensation as a housing allowance for calendar year 2023, subject to the requirements and limitations set forth in the Internal Revenue Service Code and all other applicable regulations.

ADOPTED this 17th day of November, 2022.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS FOR MULTNOMAH COUNTY, OREGON

Deborah Kafoury, Chair

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