

**RESOLUTION  
OF THE  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT**

**WHEREAS**, Humboldt County Department of Health & Human Services (DHHS) Eligibility Supervisor Casey Cordero is retiring after more than 24 years with the department; and

**WHEREAS**, Casey was hired as an Eligibility Worker in 2000 and promoted to Eligibility Worker II a few months later, then to Integrated Case Worker I in 2001 and to Eligibility Worker III in 2004, before becoming an Eligibility Supervisor in charge of training incoming eligibility staff for Social Services; and

**WHEREAS**, during her tenure with the department, Casey has trained and supervised more than 400 incoming and new Eligibility Specialists; and

**WHEREAS**, one staff person said Casey has made a point to not only teach the work but to help others navigate county employment and spent many years being a welcoming face for new Social Services staff helping them “acclimatize to county life” and remembering and checking in with them over the years; and

**WHEREAS**, another staff person said, “Casey was my supervisor many years ago and she is still an inspiration to me to succeed, to do better and to enjoy my work while I do so. Now that I am a supervisor myself, I recognize the incredible development of staff that she has given to the agency over the years;” and

**WHEREAS**, Casey has shared that the highlights of her time at DHHS including watching people grow and promote within the county, the friendships she has made during her years with the department and meeting her husband Steve who she was married to for almost 16 years before he passed away in 2022; and

**WHEREAS**, one thing that many staff have said stands out about Casey is her kindness, one staff person expounded, saying, “She is one of the kindest people I have ever met. She radiates kindness and I feel blessed to have worked alongside her. She is part of my work family, and she will be missed.”

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors hereby recognizes, honors and expresses our gratitude for Casey Cordero’s years of service to the department, and her contributions to onboarding hundreds of new Social Services staff, and wishes her the best as she starts her next chapter filled with travel and a new life in Seattle.

Dated: September 24, 2024

Supervisor Rex Bohn, Chair

