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Marin County Board of Supervisors 3501 Civic Center Drive San Rafael, CA 94903

**SUBJECT:** Ordinance Amending the Marin County Code to Authorize Arrest and Citation Authority to the Marin County Sheriff and Marin County Fire Departments.

Dear Supervisors:

**RECOMMENDATION:** Amend Section 16.16.050 of the Marin County Code to Authorize Arrest and Citation Authority to the Marin County Sheriff's Department and/or the Marin County Fire Chief and/or his/her Designee, including the Fire Marshall.

**SUMMARY:** Originally, Section 16.16.050 of the Marin County Code only provided arrest and citation authority to the Fire Chief and Chief Officers. This amendment authorizes arrest and citation authority to the Marin County Sheriff's Department and clarifies the citation and arrest authority of the Marin County Fire Department.

FISCAL/STAFFING IMPACT: None

REVIEWED BY:

☐ Auditor-ControllerX County Counsel☐ Human ResourcesN/A

Respectfully submitted.

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cc: Fire Department