

**BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**  
**SARPY COUNTY, NEBRASKA**  
**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING PUBLIC DEFENDER**  
**TO HIRE SECRETARY**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Neb. Rev. Stat §23-3403 (Reissue 2007), “The public defender may appoint secretaries [...] and other employees, [...] as are reasonably necessary to permit him or her to effectively and competently represent the clients of the office subject to the approval and consent of the county board which shall fix the compensation of all such persons...”; and,

WHEREAS, the Sarpy County Public Defender office is currently short staffed such that the current ratio of Staff to Attorney does not allow the Public Defender to effectively and competently represent the client so of the office.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SARPY COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS that the Sarpy County Public Defender is hereby authorized to hire an additional Secretary who shall be paid pursuant to the Sarpy Count Employee Association Salary Schedule at Grade 7, Step 1.

The above and foregoing Resolution was duly approved by a vote of the Sarpy County Board of Commissioners at a public meeting duly held in accordance with applicable law on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of April, 2013.

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Sarpy County Board Chairman

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Sarpy County Clerk