

PROPOSED

RESOLUTION NO.

1 A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BROWARD
2 COUNTY, FLORIDA, APPROVING THE BROWARD COUNTY TRANSPORTATION
3 DEPARTMENT'S DRUG AND ALCOHOL TESTING POLICY AND PROCEDURES; AND
4 PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

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6 WHEREAS, Broward County, through its Transportation Department ("BCT"),
7 operates, financially supports, and oversees safe, friendly, and well-utilized public
8 transportation within the urbanized area, including fixed route, Paratransit, Community
9 Shuttle, and express bus services;

10 WHEREAS, Broward County is a recipient of significant annual funding from the
11 U.S. Department of Transportation, Federal Transit Administration ("FTA");

12 WHEREAS, the FTA requires each public transportation operator that receives
13 federal funding to comply with applicable drug and alcohol testing rules and procedures
14 designed to help prevent accidents, injuries, and fatalities resulting from the misuse of
15 alcohol and use of prohibited drugs by employees who perform safety-sensitive functions;

16 WHEREAS, BCT has updated its Drug and Alcohol Testing Policy and Procedures
17 in accordance with the FTA's regulatory and statutory requirements, and has made
18 certain other organizational and minor technical updates;

19 WHEREAS, the collective bargaining units, Amalgamated Transit Union
20 Local 1267 and the Government Supervisors Association of Florida, Local 100,
21 representing BCT's safety-sensitive employees (e.g., bus operators, mechanics,

