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A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA, PERTAINING TO THE BROWARD ADDICTION RECOVERY DIVISION; AMENDING CHAPTERS 2, 4, 12, 23, AND 36 OF THE BROWARD COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE CODE ("ADMINISTRATIVE CODE") TO UPDATE THE NAME OF THE BROWARD ADDICTION RECOVERY DIVISION; AND PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY, INCLUSION IN THE ADMINISTRATIVE CODE, AND AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Broward Addiction Recovery Division (BARD) is the division's formal name, but its informal name, Broward Addiction Recovery Center (BARC), has been widely used by County staff and the community for over 50 years. Officially renaming the division to the Broward Addiction Recovery Center will provide clarity and ensure consistency in how the agency is recognized and referenced; and

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners desires to update the Broward County Administrative Code to officially reflect the division's name as the Broward Addiction Recovery Center, NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA:

Section 1. Chapters 2, 4, 12, 23, and 36 of the Broward County Administrative Code are hereby amended to replace each instance of "Broward Addiction Recovery Division" throughout each chapter with "Broward Addiction Recovery Center."

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Section 2. Chapter 4, Part IV, Section 4.30 of the Broward County Administrative Code is hereby amended to replace each instance of "Division" throughout with "Center."

Section 3. Severability.

If any portion of this Administrative Code Resolution is determined by any court to be invalid, the invalid portion will be stricken, and such striking will not affect the validity of the remainder of this Administrative Code Resolution. If any court determines that this Administrative Code Resolution, in whole or in part, cannot be legally applied to any individual, group, entity, property, or circumstance, such determination will not affect the applicability of this Administrative Code Resolution to any other individual, group, entity, property, or circumstance.

Section 4. Inclusion in the Broward County Administrative Code.

It is the intention of the Board of County Commissioners that the provisions of this Administrative Code Resolution become part of the Broward County Administrative Code as of the effective date. The sections of this Administrative Code Resolution may be renumbered or relettered and the word "resolution" may be changed to "section," "article," or such other appropriate word or phrase to the extent necessary to accomplish such intention.

40 Section 5. Effective Date.

This Administrative Code Resolution is effective upon adoption.

ADOPTED this day of , 2025. **PROPOSED**

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency: Andrew J. Meyers, County Attorney

By: <u>/s/ Karen S. Gordon</u> 03/14/2025 Karen S. Gordon (date)

Senior Assistant County Attorney

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