

*The Board of Supervisors of
Contra Costa County, California*

**In the matter of:
honoring the VA Northern California Health Care System.**

Resolution No. 2009/509

WHEREAS, the history of this nation has been shaped by the brave men and women who have served in our nation's Armed Forces by making great personal sacrifices in order to defend our freedom and safeguard our democracy; and
WHEREAS, the impact of the physical, mental and emotional injuries of these veterans continue for years afterward to affect them, their families, and their communities; and
WHEREAS, the U. S. Department of Veteran's Affairs Veterans Health Administration has been dedicated to the treatment of those who have served in our Armed Forces; and
WHEREAS, the VA Northern California Health Care System provides comprehensive medical care and treatment to the veterans of northern California to include Contra Costa County; and
WHEREAS, the VA Martinez Outpatient Clinic has provided outstanding medical care to the veterans of our county for almost a half century;
NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County does hereby recognize the VA Northern California Health Care System and the Martinez Outpatient Clinic for providing world class quality medical care to those men and women of our county who have answered our nation's call to duty on Veterans' Day, Wednesday, November 11, 2009.

SUSAN A. BONILLA
Chair,
District IV Supervisor

JOHN GIOIA
District I Supervisor

GAYLE B. UILKEMA
District II Supervisor

MARY N. PIEPHO
District III Supervisor

FEDERAL D. GLOVER
District V Supervisor

I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of an action taken and entered on the minutes of the Board of Supervisors on the date shown.

ATTESTED: November 10, 2009

David J. Twa,

By: _____, Deputy