

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

In the matter of:

**Resolution No. 2010/58**

**RECOGNIZING THE EAST COUNTY REGIONAL PLANNING COMMISSION AND COMMISSIONERS FOR  
THEIR YEARS OF VOLUNTEER SERVICE TO CONTRA COSTA COUNTY**

WHEREAS, the Contra Costa County Ordinance Code provides for the existence of Regional Planning Commissions, and

WHEREAS, Article 26-2.15 of the County Ordinance Code is repealed, amended and re-enacted to reorganize area planning commissions and establish the East County Regional Planning Commission, and

WHEREAS, the East County Regional Planning Commission was established in 1986, and

WHEREAS, in accordance with Article 26-2.1502 the Board of Supervisors appointed regional area resident members to serve on the Commission with two year terms, and

WHEREAS, the East County Regional Planning Commission heard, considered and made decisions on applications and proposals such as Discovery Bay West and the Ravenswood Project, and

WHEREAS, over the years the East County Regional Planning Commission provided an effective and efficient method of local representation which was of significant benefit to the public, and

WHEREAS, the decline of regional projects and applications necessitated the Board to take a detailed look at the work level of the commission, and

WHEREAS, much of the application volume is currently comprised of relatively small, infill projects that are successfully managed at an administrative or Zoning Administrator level, and

WHEREAS, the Zoning Administrators have routinely held a low appeal rate, successfully resolving land use issues without requiring review by the planning commissions, and

WHEREAS, with the reduction in proposed projects, it was determined that term of the East County Regional Commission would not be extended beyond October 6, 2009, and

WHEREAS, the following Commissioners were in service at the time of the Commission's sunset, and

WHEREAS, Edmund Stevens, Chair, is recognized for his four years of service, and

WHEREAS, Jack Hanna, Vice Chair, is recognized for his 3 years of service, and

WHEREAS, Anthony Pigati is recognized for his eighteen months of service, and

WHEREAS, Robert Duran is recognized for his six months of service, and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors commends the East County Regional Planning Commission and its members for all the dedicated work and outstanding service to the citizens of Contra Costa County.

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**JOHN GIOIA**

Chair,  
District I Supervisor

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**GAYLE B. UILKEMA**

District II Supervisor

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**MARY N. PIEPHO**

District III Supervisor

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**SUSAN A. BONILLA**

District IV Supervisor

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**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: January 19, 2010

David J. Twa,

By: \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy