

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

In the matter of:

**Resolution No. 2015/366**

**Honoring Ombudsman Services of Contra Costa County and Declaring October 2016 Residents' Rights Month.**

Whereas, Ombudsman Services of Contra Costa County, a nonprofit organization, is dedicated to advocating on behalf of and preserving the rights of Contra Costa's frail and elderly residents; and  
Whereas, Ombudsman Services of Contra Costa County fights to protect and preserve the health, safety, and dignity of the County's frail, elderly population to help them thrive at all stages of life; and  
Whereas, October 2015 is designated as Residents' Rights Month by National Consumer Voice, a national advocacy organization for residents of long-term care, most of whom are frail and elderly; and  
Whereas, Ombudsman Services of Contra Costa County celebrates Residents' Rights Month as an opportunity to highlight the rights of the frail, elderly and the need for vigilant advocacy on their behalf; and

Whereas, Ombudsman Services of Contra Costa County is a regional leader in elder justice; and

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved: That the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County does hereby honor Ombudsman Services of Contra Costa County for its passionate commitment to preserving and defending the rights of the frail and elderly, and declares October 2015 as Residents' Rights Month in Contra Costa County.

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**JOHN GIOIA**

Chair,  
District I Supervisor

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**CANDACE ANDERSEN**

District II Supervisor

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**MARY N. PIEPHO**

District III Supervisor

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**KAREN MITCHOFF**

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: October 13, 2015

David J. Twa,

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