THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF CONTRA COSTA COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

and for Special Districts, Agencies and Authorities Governed by the Board

Adopted this Resolution on 10/18/2016 by the following vote:

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Resolution No. 2016/561

IN THE MATTER OF: DECLARING the week of October 16-22, 2016, as California Flood Preparedness Week, Countywide.

WHEREAS, Contra Costa County recognizes the significant public safety threat flooding poses to the pollution, assets, and economy of our County; and

WHEREAS, Coutra Costa County has suffered major flooding events in the past, causing millions of dollars in damages to homes, business, and local government infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, the support and understanding of an informed citizenry is vital to the efficient administration of the Unincorporated Contra Costa County Floodplain Program; and

WHEREAS, the floodplain management program services provided in our community are an integral part of our citizen's everyday lives; and

WHEREAS, during the California Flood Preparedness Week, local, state, and federal agencies across the state work together to inform the public about the dangers of flooding, how to prepare their homes and families for a flood, and plan for recovery; and

WHEREAS, California Flood Preparedness Week 2016 will be held statewide with the theme being "Be Aware, Be Prepared, and Take Action!"

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors, hereby declares October 16-22, 2016, as California Flood Preparedness Week, supports increased public awareness of flood risk, and encourages all County residents to take action to understand their flood risk and prepare appropriately.

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 18, 2016

David J. Twa, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: Stephanie Mello, Deputy

cc: Betsy Burkhart, CCTV, Mike Carlson, Flood Control, Warren Lai, Jocelyn LaRocque, Carrie Ricci

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