

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

In the matter of:

Resolution No. 2016/610

In the Matter of Recognizing Martinez Outpatient Behavioral Health Clinic

Whereas, Contra Costa County has commemorated November 11th by paying tribute to those who have served this nation. This year, Contra Costa County also wishes to recognize and honor those people who work with Veterans each and every day at the Martinez Outpatient Behavioral Health Clinic; and

Whereas, the Outpatient Behavioral Health Clinic (BHC) team is comprised of an interdisciplinary group of mental health providers; and

Whereas, the BHC team receives new patients into the behavioral health clinic and coordinates the care of hundreds of veterans every year; and

Whereas, members of the core team address the urgent needs of crisis patients and those who are not engaged in services; and

Whereas, all of the providers at Martinez Behavioral Health Outpatient Services are committed and dedicated to serve and care for our Veterans behavioral health needs and work together as a team to accomplish and fulfill the mission of the VA; and

Whereas, BHC clinicians have developed valuable treatment programs for veterans such as an interdisciplinary program to treat chronic pain, seminars to support healthy romantic partnerships, groups to address addiction concerns, groups designed to promote recovery after experiences of military sexual trauma, and interventions targeted to treat post-traumatic stress; and

Whereas, BHC team members support and equip the mental health peer specialist to provide high-quality peer-to-peer consultation and peer support groups; and

Whereas, the BHC provides same-day access to care through the integrated mental health triage team; and

Whereas, the BHC works to streamline delivery of services to Veterans in partnership with primary care mental health integration providers and a variety of specialty care programs.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors does hereby honor and thank the Martinez Outpatient Behavioral Health Clinic for their dedication, commitment and loyalty to all Veterans they serve in Contra Costa County.

CANDACE ANDERSEN

Chair,
District II Supervisor

JOHN GIOIA

District I Supervisor

MARY N. PIEPHO

District III Supervisor

KAREN MITCHOFF

District IV 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 8, 2016

David J. Twa,

By: _____, Deputy