The Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, California

In the matter of:

Resolution No. 2017/49

recognizing Brian Waters as the 2016 recipient of the William Penn Mott, Jr. Environmental Award.

Whereas, Brian Waters is a Certified Fisheries Scientist with Bachelor's and Master's Degrees in fisheries biology who has been an Orinda resident since 1970; and

Whereas, Brian has been involved with Friends of Orinda Creeks for 11 years, as well a volunteering as assistant scoutmaster for the Boy Scouts and president of the Sleepy Hollow Homeowners' Association; and

Whereas, while working with Friends of Orinda Creeks, Waters was instrumental in restoring rainbow trout to San Pablo Creek and getting Orinda Creeks' interpretive sign installed in Orinda Community Park; and

Whereas, Brian Waters knew the history of San Pablo Creek and realized its potential habitat for the restoration of rainbow trout.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County does hereby honor **Brian Waters** In recognition of his hard work and dedication to the people of Orinda.

FEDERAL D. GLOVER

Chair, District V Supervisor

JOHN GIOIA District I Supervisor CANDACE ANDERSEN District II Supervisor

DIANE BURGIS District III Supervisor

KAREN MITCHOFF District IV 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: February 14, 2017

David J. Twa,

By: _____, Deputy