

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

In the matter of:

Resolution No. 2018/486

Recognizing the City of Brentwood, the Contra Costa County Library, the Brentwood Library Foundation, and the Friends of the Brentwood Library upon the opening of the New Brentwood Library.

WHEREAS, the new Brentwood Library is a successful collaboration between the City of Brentwood, the Contra Costa County Library, the Brentwood Library Foundation and the Friends of the Brentwood Library; and

WHEREAS, construction of the new Brentwood Library was funded by the City of Brentwood and grants and donations raised by the Brentwood Library Foundation; and

WHEREAS, the Brentwood Library Foundation raised \$510,825 for the new library and also raised funds for furnishings, technology and public art; and

WHEREAS, the Friends of the Brentwood Library have a long history of supporting quality library service, have been involved in planning for the new Brentwood Library and successfully raised funds for the opening day collection; and

WHEREAS, the Contra Costa County Library funds 35 weekly hours of library services, collections, programs and technology and the City of Brentwood funds an additional 21 weekly open hours; and

WHEREAS, the new Brentwood Library will feature an additional 15,000 square feet of resources, meeting rooms, study rooms and state of the art technology; and

WHEREAS, the new library features large spaces for children and teens, including an early literacy area; and

WHEREAS, the new Brentwood Library will feature WiFi, in-library use of laptops and new furnishings to support improved connectivity for mobile devices; and

WHEREAS, the new Brentwood Library will feature a Makerspace, in which residents can use a 3D printer, sewing machines, and a variety of arts and crafts; and

WHEREAS, every day, public libraries open minds, enrich lives, bring communities together and serve as places for education, cultural exchange, recreation and relaxation for people of all ages and walks of life.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County does hereby honor and congratulate the City of Brentwood, the Contra Costa County Library, the Brentwood Library Foundation, and the Friends of the Brentwood Library on the occasion of the grand opening of the new Brentwood Library on September 29, 2018.

KAREN MITCHOFF

Chair, District IV Supervisor

JOHN GIOIA

District I Supervisor

CANDACE ANDERSEN

District II Supervisor

DIANE BURGIS

District III 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: September 18, 2018

David J. Twa,

By: _____, Deputy