

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

In the matter of:
honoring the Veterans Service Representative Jill Martinez

Resolution No. 2018/552

Whereas, Jill's family has a long history of military service: her Grandfather served in the Army in World War I, her father served in the Army in World War II, and other family members served in Korea and Vietnam; and

Whereas, currently her son Brian is a Commander in the Navy and she is a proud mom and grandmother; and

Whereas, Jill started her career with the county in 1971 and previously worked for social services as a clerk and eligibility worker; and

Whereas, she started working in Veterans Service Office in October of 1986; and

Whereas, Jill was the first female and non-Veteran to be a Veteran Service Representative in Contra Costa County; and

Whereas, she retired from Contra Costa County in March of 2011 and continues as a volunteer Veteran Service Representative; and

Whereas, her colleagues appreciate her institutional knowledge and devotion she brings to the team; and

Whereas, Jill is known as the subject matter expert on the VA Disability Pension Program;

Whereas, she provides numerous presentations to senior centers and care facilities throughout the county; and

Whereas, Jill is well versed on county social services and is able to assist in complex cases such as working with our homeless Veterans; and

Whereas, Jill enjoys spending her time along the Delta, traveling regularly, but what she enjoys the most is helping Veterans in the community and their families; and

Whereas, she has received numerous awards and recognitions from the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, Contra Costa County, and veteran service organizations in the community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors recognizes Jill Martinez and honors her countless volunteer hours and service she provides for our Veterans throughout the county.

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: November 13, 2018

David J. Twa,

By: _____, Deputy