

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

In the matter of:

Resolution No. 2018/569

Recognizing Richard Whitmore as the Superintendent of Lafayette School District

Whereas, Richard Whitmore was appointed Superintendent of the Lafayette School District on August 6, 2018, rising to the top of an impressive field of candidates based on his passion for providing high quality education for all students, his leadership characteristics, and his finance and advocacy skills necessary in leading the District; and

Whereas, Mr. Whitmore has been actively involved in the Lafayette education community for over 20 years, previously serving as the Chief Administration Officer at WestEd, an education research development and service organization and prior to that, serving as the Superintendent in the Los Gatos Union School District; and

Whereas, Richard's extensive education experience includes a long list of dedicated service including finance, technology and special education services, he was the President and Chairman of the Lafayette Arts & Science Foundation, he served on the Acalanes Union High School District Governing Board, he was an active volunteer as his children were educated in the District and has also been active as a coach and volunteer administrator in local youth athletics organizations; and

Whereas, Richard will continue to lead the District and help educate the next generation of children in Lafayette, learning more about the ongoing work of the teachers, administrators and staff who serve the students every day.

Now, therefore be it resolved that the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County does hereby honor Richard Whitmore for his long-standing dedication to the Lafayette schools and residents.

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

