

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

In the matter of:

Resolution No. 2018/577

recognizing forty-one (41) County employees who completed the 2018 Contra Costa County CSAC Institute

WHEREAS, the members of the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County are pleased to extend congratulations to *Abims Aguda, Stefanie Blanchette, Lia Bristol, Steve Burdo, Dan Cabral, Buck Carmichael, Lisa Driscoll, Shanna Edwards, Laura Garvey, Mark Goodwin, Ruben Hernandez, Ryan Hernandez, James Hicks, Glynis Hughes, Timothy Jensen, Bela Kisamov, Sophie Lehman, James Lyons, Sharron Mackey, Alvan Mangalindan, Vincent Manuel, Lavonna Martin, Linda Martinez, Alison McKee, Will Nelson, Daniel Peddycord, Tina Pruett, Dave Rasmussen, Phyllis Redmond, Barbara Riveira, Anna Roth, Janice Santos, Marc Shorr, Laura Strobel, Emlyn Struthers, Marilyn Underwood, Pramod Walse, Holland White, Mark Williams, Patrick Wilson, and Belinda Zhu* for earning their CSAC

California County Senior Executive Credentials; and

WHEREAS, the California State Association of Counties (CSAC) Institute For Excellence in County Government was created to provide a continuing education resource for new and experienced California county officials and senior staff and to meet demands from county supervisors and senior executives who have few accessible opportunities for professional continuing education; and

WHEREAS, County officials recognize they don't have the luxury of time to learn on-the-job and can't afford to be without the best leadership and knowledge capacities to be as effective as possible; and **WHEREAS**, there are few available learning opportunities where participants can interact with their peers, share experiences and learn from each other.

WHEREAS, CSAC Institute courses are designed specifically to meet the continuing education needs of County Supervisors and Senior Executives and Staff; and

WHEREAS, CSAC Institute courses are a cost-effective resource designed to help participants ask better questions to get the information needed to quickly understand issues and make better decisions, to give better answers to questions and more clearly interpret county government and policy issues to constituents, the community, employees, and to strengthen leadership practices and knowledge competencies throughout the county organization and help prepare emerging leaders; and

WHEREAS, the Institute offers two credential opportunities to those who complete thirty (30) credits, the *Credentialed California County Supervisor* (for elected county supervisors) and *Credentialed California County Senior Executive* (for senior executives: CAO/CEO, deputy or assistant CAO/CEO, elected and appointed department heads, senior analysts and other senior managers); and

WHEREAS, Contra Costa County, in partnership with the CSAC Institute, created the Contra Costa County CSAC Institute three (3) years ago in January 2016, and each cohort participated in a program consisting of ten (10) courses, running for ten (10) consecutive months from January through October; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that forty-one (41) County employees completed the third year of the Contra Costa County CSAC Institute and earned their credentials.

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: December 4, 2018

David J. Twa,

By: _____, Deputy