

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

In the matter of:

Resolution No. 2020/44

Recognizing the East Bay International Jewish Film Festival (EBIJFF) on their 25th Anniversary

WHEREAS, 25 years ago, a group of Contra Costa residents launched a festival to show films of Jewish community interest;
WHEREAS, the Festival organizers grew the event from three films over two days to over 45 screenings over nine days; and
WHEREAS, the Festival organizers have selected films that build cultural bridges and encourage dialogue; and
WHEREAS, Festival-goers are able to see films from around the globe, thus increasing their appreciation of different cultures; and
WHEREAS, the Festival expanded its scope to include movies that show the deleterious impact of prejudice, anti-Semitism, racism, homophobia and bullying; and
WHEREAS, the organizers added “Betweens” events that not only presented film screenings following the Festival but also post-Festival discussions that enhanced the understanding of topics raised during the Festival.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Contra Costa County does hereby acknowledge and congratulate the organizers of the EBIJFF for their outstanding efforts in presenting the EBIJFF to the Contra Costa and Tri-Valley communities, and that Contra Costa County wishes them many more years of success in this endeavor so that they may continue to build community and promote tolerance through the power of film.

CANDACE ANDERSEN
Chair, District II Supervisor

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District IV 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: February 11, 2020

David J. Twa,

By: _____, Deputy