The Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, California

In the matter of:

Resolution No. 2021/167

In the Matter of Honoring Jay Hoyer, the Chief Executive Officer of the Walnut Creek Chamber of Commerce on the Occasion of his Retirement

WHEREAS, Jay Hoyer has served as the Chief Executive Officer of the Walnut Creek Chamber since 1991; and

WHEREAS, he graduated from the Academy of Organizational Management and completed the Economic Development Institute at the University of Notre Dame; and

WHEREAS, before 1991, Jay was the President of an international transportation company and served at the Chambers of Commerce in Salem, Oregon; Boulder, Colorado; Twin Falls, Idaho; and Iowa City, Iowa; and

WHEREAS, Jay was recognized as the Oregon Chamber of Commerce Executive of the Year and served on the President's National Business and Industry Advisory Council; and

WHEREAS, in his time with the Walnut Creek Chamber, Jay has spearheaded an impressive roster of chamber-sponsored programs and events—the Art & Wine Festival, Leadership Contra Costa, and the East Bay Women's Conference to name only a few; and

WHEREAS, Leadership Contra Costa (LCC) has become the Bay Area's premier countywide leadership program. LCC accepts 25 to 30 individuals from throughout the county and is geared to people who want to make a difference in their communities; and

WHEREAS, the East Bay Women's Conference provides women an opportunity to come together and participate in a program of personal and professional enrichment, development and networking activities; and to provide them the tools they need on the journey to their personal best; and

WHEREAS, Jay worked with the hotel community and city officials to create the Walnut Creek Convention & Visitors Bureau growing the organization to the benefit of Walnut Creek's economic development and quality of life; and

WHEREAS, he contributed countless hours of dedication and effort to see the Shadelands Property Business Improvement District (PBID) through. He had vision, foresight, creativity, and imagination in envisioning what the park could become; and

WHEREAS, Jay has always been incredibly supportive of the Walnut Creek Ice Rink. He worked tirelessly throughout the years to enable the ring to expand, stay solvent when it faced tough economic times, and bring other benefits to the community and the region.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors recognizes Jay Hoyer on the occasion of his retirement and honors his hard work and dedication to the economic development of our community.

DIANE BURGIS

Chair, District III Supervisor

JOHN GIOIA	CANDACE ANDERSEN
District I Supervisor	District II Supervisor
KAREN MITCHOFF	FEDERAL D. GLOVER
District IV Supervisor	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: May 18, 2021
	Monica Nino, County Administrator

By: ______, Deputy