

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

In the matter of:

**Resolution No. 2023/105**

**Recognizing Eren Mendez upon her retirement as the Elections Outreach Coordinator in the Contra Costa County Clerk-Recorder Elections Department.**

Whereas, Eren Mendez joined Contra Costa County and the Clerk-Recorder Elections Department in early 2006 as the Elections Outreach Coordinator; and  
Whereas, Eren administered 52 elections during her career, including primary elections, general elections, recall elections, special elections and presidential elections during her tenure; and  
Whereas, Eren, through her leadership and tireless work to engage diverse community groups and leaders, improved all aspects of Contra Costa County's election administration on which she worked; and  
Whereas, Eren was never one to accept no for an answer when it came to providing a polling place to the community and was always expert at convincing potential polling location hosts to provide that service for an election; and  
Whereas, Eren ensured that the voters of Contra Costa County had accessible and convenient polling places staffed by well-trained volunteer poll workers; and  
Whereas, Eren trained both temporary and permanent staff on critical components of election outreach and communication strategies; and  
Whereas, Eren worked tirelessly on outreach to community groups across Contra Costa to ensure that information about voting was available to underserved communities and that we fully met our commitments to serve residents in both Spanish, Chinese, and nine other languages; and  
Whereas, Eren helped establish the Election Community Engagement Group representing important stakeholders to provide critical elections information and from which we could learn about community priorities; and  
Whereas, Eren served on the committee to plan the Cesar Chavez Day celebrations for the Board of Supervisors; and  
Whereas, Eren during her tenure with the Elections Division, used her knowledge and experience to provide outstanding service to the public; and  
Whereas, Eren performed her work for the Elections Division with a personal commitment to integrity and honesty; is knowledgeable, conscientious and dedicated; and  
Whereas, Eren regularly brought joy and bagels into the office; and  
Whereas, Eren dedicated 17 years to Contra Costa County's Clerk-Recorder Elections Department, and now looks forward to spending time with family, including her two nephews, friends and passions beyond elections; and  
Now, therefore, be it resolved that the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County hereby honors Eren Mendez for her dedication to Contra Costa County and congratulates her on a well-deserved retirement.

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**JOHN GIOIA**

Chair, District I Supervisor

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**CANDACE ANDERSEN**

District II Supervisor

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**DIANE BURGIS**

District III Supervisor

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**KEN CARLSON**

District IV Supervisor

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**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: April 4, 2023

Monica Nino, County Administrator

By: \_\_\_\_\_, Deputy