

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

In the matter of:

Resolution No. 2023/114

recognizing Jered E. Clark as the 2023 Youth Hall of Fame Rising Star Awardee for Perseverance

WHEREAS, every March, the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors hosts a celebration in honor of César E. Chávez in recognition of his commitment to social justice and respect for human dignity; and
WHEREAS, this year's theme is Hope and Healing, Esperanza y Bienestar; and
WHEREAS, we take this opportunity to share stories of local students who are working hard to move us forward and improve the lives of others; and
WHEREAS, we recognize these students with the Youth Hall of Fame Awards during the celebration for their contributions to our community and in the spirit of one of our country's most treasured activists: César E. Chávez; and
WHEREAS, Jered Clark currently attends Black Diamond Middle School in Antioch where he holds a 4.0 GPA and will be graduating with his 8th grade class at the end of this school year, he is a self-motivated person who is determined, outgoing, intelligent, and a stand-up scholar, he takes initiative to work on his assignments as well as his extracurricular activities which include volunteering with local nonprofits and playing volleyball; and
WHEREAS, Jered tragically lost his parents to domestic violence at a very young age and he entered the foster care system, today he faces obstacles head on, remains focused and determined to overcome barriers, his perseverance at just 14 years old clearly shows he has a bright future ahead of him; and
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors recognizes Jered E. Clark Youth Hall of Fame Rising Star Awardee for Perseverance, and for exemplifying the values of service, integrity, kindness, activism, and leadership that César Chávez embodied through his life.

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Chair, District I Supervisor

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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