

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

In the matter of:

Resolution No. 2023/137

PROCLAIMING MAY 18, 2023 AS "BIKE TO WORK DAY" AND THE ENTIRE MONTH OF MAY 2023 AS "BIKE TO WHEREVER DAYS."

WHEREAS, breathing clean air is vital to healthy lungs and life; and
WHEREAS, the County of Contra Costa encourages its employees and citizens to bicycle in order to improve air quality and promote the health benefits of bicycling; and
WHEREAS, the County of Contra Costa acknowledges that bicycling to work is a viable commute mode to improve the "livability" of communities by reducing traffic noise and congestion; and
WHEREAS, Bike to Work Days have proven effective in converting drivers into bicyclists and educating citizens about the public health benefits of bicycling to work regularly; and
WHEREAS, due to COVID-19, Bike to Work Day was temporarily rebranded as Bike to Wherever Days in 2020 and 2021, and
WHEREAS, Bike to Wherever Days took place over an entire month, and
WHEREAS, Bike to Wherever Days encourages bicycling for all types of trips, and
WHEREAS, in 2022, Bike to Work Day was celebrated on May 20th and Bike to Wherever Days was celebrated for the entire month of May, and
WHEREAS, National Bike Month and California Bike Commute Week are in May; and
WHEREAS, all nine Bay Area counties are participating in Bike to Work Day on May 18, 2023 and Bike to Wherever Days for the entire month of May.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors hereby proclaims May 18, 2023 as "Bike to Work Day" and May 2023 as "Bike to Wherever Days" in Contra Costa County.

JOHN GIOIA

Chair, District I 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 18, 2023

Monica Nino, County Administrator

By: _____, Deputy