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

In the matter of: Resolution No. 2023/179

## A RESOLUTION CELEBRATING THE 100TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE EAST BAY MUNICIPAL UTILITY DISTRICT

WHEREAS, the East Bay Municipal Utility District (EBMUD) was formed on May 23rd, 1923, and has been providing quality water and wastewater treatment services to the East Bay for 100 years; and WHEREAS, EBMUD has been a vital partner in the growth and development of Contra Costa and Alameda Counties, serving as the primary provider in Contra Costa of high-quality drinking water and wastewater treatment services to the following cities and communities in Contra Costa County: Alamo, Blackhawk, Crocket, Danville, Diablo, East Richmond Heights, El Cerrito, El Sobrante, Hercules, Kensington, Lafayette, Montalvin Manor, Moraga, North Richmond, Orinda, Pinole, Pleasant Hill, Richmond, Rodeo, Rollingwood, San Pablo, San Ramon, Selby, Tara Hills, and Walnut Creek; and WHEREAS, EBMUD has invested in critical infrastructure projects in Contra Costa County, such as the \$450 million Freeport Regional Water Project, which increased the district's water supply reliability and helped meet the needs of a growing population, and many of EBMUD's local water supply reservoirs and watershed lands (which are also available for hiking and public enjoyment) are located in Contra Costa County; and

WHEREAS, EBMUD has been committed to protecting the environment and preserving natural resources in Contra Costa County, as evidenced by its partnership with the John Muir Land Trust to protect the Upper San Leandro Watershed, and its efforts to provide sustainable water management practices to its customers; and

WHEREAS, EBMUD has been a leader in innovation, implementing cutting-edge technologies to improve water quality and conservation efforts, such as its advanced water treatment plant and recycled water programs, and is a responsible manager of watershed lands along the Mokelumne River and in the East Bay; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors joins in celebrating the 100th anniversary of the East Bay Municipal Utility District and acknowledges its significant contributions to the growth and development of Contra Costa County. BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution be signed by the Chair of the Board of Supervisors, John Gioia (a former EBMUD Board Member and President), and that a copy be presented to EBMUD as a symbol of our appreciation for their commitment to providing reliable and sustainable water and wastewater treatment services to Contra Costa County for 100 years.

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DIANE BURGIS  District III 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: May 16, 2023
Monica Nino, County Administrator