Board of Supervisors Contra Costa County, State of California

RESOLUTION HONORING BETTY MAFFEI UPON HER RETIREMENT AS THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE CONTRA COSTA COUNTY HISTORY CENTER

RESOLUTION NO. 2009/570

WHEREAS, Betty Maffei served as the Executive Director of the History Center and has been the guiding light for knowledge of Contra Costa County's history, and

WHEREAS, Betty served as the President of the Historical Society from 1987-1988 and facilitated the County's Resolution 79/932 which designated the Contra Costa County Historical Society as the official Society of the County; and

WHEREAS, Betty accepted and catalogued major collections from Louis L. Stein, A. F. Bray, Dorothy A. Mutnick, Sheriff R. R. Veale, Nancy Fahden, Les Sipes as well as precious Superior Court documents; and

WHEREAS. Betty brought the Society archives into the 21st Century by initiating a computer program to document the archives of the Center; and

WHEREAS, Betty Maffei has served as the Executive Director of the Center, assisting researchers. managing the office, training the volunteers and nurturing the Society for 25 years; and

WHEREAS, Betty and her husband Rick set up today's History Center on Main Street in Martinez.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County hereby honors and recognizes the hard work and dedication of

Betty Maffer

PASSED by a vote of the Board of Supervisors this 8th day of December, 2009.

JOHN GIOIA

District I Supervisor

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I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of an Order entered into the minutes of the Board of Supervisors on the date aforesaid

Twa, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors.