The Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, California

In the matter of congratulating the East Bay Economic Development Alliance for its 25 years of service to the East Bay region

Resolution No. 2015/347

WHEREAS, the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors congratulates the East Bay Economic Development Alliance on their 25th Anniversary to be celebrated on Thursday, October 15, 2015; and

WHEREAS, the East Bay Economic Development Alliance's mission is to be the regional voice and networking resource for strengthening the economy, building the workforce, and enhancing the quality of life in the East Bay; and

WHEREAS, in 1990, the Economic Development Advisory Board was established, was renamed the Economic Development Alliance for Business, and was eventually renamed the East Bay Economic Development Alliance to reflect the inclusion of Contra Costa County in its membership and service area; and

WHEREAS, the East Bay Economic Development Alliance provides quality business services and regional marketing to promote business attraction, retention and growth; and

WHEREAS, the East Bay Economic Development Alliance is dedicated to promoting best business-led engagement practices that lead to career orientation for youth and quality jobs, and supports investments in workforce development to the region; and

WHEREAS, the cross-sector leadership of the East Bay Economic Development Alliance sets policies and guides strategies focused on land use and infrastructure, international trade and investment, legislation and advocacy, and business development and resources; and

WHEREAS, the East Bay Economic Development Alliance strives to protect the diversity and natural and developed assets of the East Bay region that contribute to the high quality of life.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County does hereby congratulate and acknowledge the East Bay Economic Development Alliance on their 25th Anniversary and commends them for their commitment and dedication to connecting economic growth and innovation with the quality of life in the East Bay region.

PASSED by a unanimous vote of the Board of Supervisors members present this 22nd day of September, 2015.

JOHN GIOIA

Chair,

District I Supervisor

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District II Supervisor

KAREN MITCHOFF

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MARY N. PIEPHO

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: September 22, 2015

DAVID TWA, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors and County Administrator

By Stoplanie & Mollo, Deputy