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**ORDINANCE NO. 2015-23**  
**(Exclude from the Merit System the new Contra Costa County Fire Protection District classification of Deputy Fire Chief-Exempt)**

The Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors, acting solely in its capacity as the governing board of the Contra Costa County Fire Protection District ordains as follows (omitting the parenthetical footnotes from the official text of the enacted or amended provisions of the County Ordinance Code):

**SECTION I:** Section 33-5.343 of the County Ordinance Code is amended to exclude from the merit system the new classification of Deputy Fire Chief- Exempt to read:

**33-5.343- Fire.**

- (a) The class of fire chief - Contra Costa County fire protection district is excluded, and is appointed by the board of supervisors.
- (b) The class of assistant fire chief-exempt is excluded and is appointed by the fire chief - Contra Costa County fire protection district.
- (c) The one-position class of fire officer in the Contra Costa County fire protection district is excluded and is appointed by the fire chief - Contra Costa County fire protection district.
- (d) The class of deputy fire chief- exempt is excluded and is appointed by the fire chief- Contra Costa County Fire Protection District.

(Ords. 2015-23 § 1, 2000-23 § 1, 94-48 § 1, 81-70 § 2, 81-32 § I[18], 79-79: former § 32-2.640).

**SECTION II: EFFECTIVE DATE.** This ordinance becomes effective 30 days after passage, and within 15 days of passage shall be published once with the names of the supervisors voting for and against it in the Contra Costa Times, a newspaper published in this County.

PASSED ON November 3 2015 by the following vote:

AYES: Gioia, Andersen, Piepho, Mitchoff, Glover

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: None

ATTEST: DAVID J. TWA, Clerk of  
the Board of Supervisors and County Administrator

By:

  
June McHuen

Deputy

  
John Gioia

Board Chair

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