

Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, California

IN THE MATTER OF RECOGNIZING JOHN WYRO AS THE
ORINDA CITIZEN OF THE YEAR

RESOLUTION NO. 2016/132

WHEREAS, John Wyro was appointed to the Orinda Fire District Board in 1995, after applying for a job the Contra Costa County Supervisors ran looking to replace board members at the Orinda Fire District; and

WHEREAS, John was not on the Board very long before he figured out that the citizens of Orinda would be better served by a merger between Orinda and Moraga Fire Districts; and

WHEREAS, John talked with fire officials in Moraga and orchestrated the creation of the Moraga-Orinda Fire District in 1997, as a result, paramedics were brought to Orinda; and

WHEREAS, John has always been involved in community service; since moving to Orinda in the early 1980's, John served on the Orinda Union School District Board from 1985 until 1989, he coached girls soccer for the Orinda Youth Association, and he served as a representative to the General Plan Committee when Orinda incorporated; and

WHEREAS, John and his wife of 47 years continue to live in Orinda, and John continues to volunteer.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County does hereby honor

John Wyro

for his dedication to the Moraga-Orinda Fire District and Contra Costa County.

PASSED by a unanimous vote of the Board of Supervisors members present this 15th day of March, 2016.

Candace Andersen
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Chair,
District II Supervisor

John Gioia
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District I Supervisor

Mary N. Piepho
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District III Supervisor

Karen Mitchoff
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District IV 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: March 15, 2016

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

By *Stephanie Wells*, Deputy