## Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, California

IN THE MATTER OF DECLARING THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 16-22, 2016, AS CALIFORNIA FLOOD PREPAREDNESS WEEK, **COUNTYWIDE** 

**RESOLUTION NO. 2016/561** 

WHEREAS, Contra Costa County recognizes the significant public safety threat flooding poses to the pollution, assets, and economy of our County; and

WHEREAS, Contra Costa County has suffered major flooding events in the past, causing millions of dollars in damages to homes, business, and local government infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, the support and understanding of an informed citizenry is vital to the efficient administration of the Unincorporated Contra Costa County Floodplain Program; and

WHEREAS, the floodplain management program services provided in our community are an integral part of our citizen's everyday lives; and

WHEREAS, during the California Flood Preparedness Week, local, state, and federal agencies across the state work together to inform the public about the dangers of flooding, how to prepare their homes and families for a flood, and plan for recovery; and

WHEREAS, California Flood Preparedness Week 2016 will be held statewide with the theme being "Be Aware, Be Prepared, and Take Action!"

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County does hereby declare October 16-22, 2016, as

California Flood Preparedness Week,

support increased public awareness of flood risk, and encourages all County residents to take action to understand their flood risk and prepare appropriately.

PASSED by a unanimous vote of the Board of Supervisors members present this 18<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2016.

CANDACE ANDERSEN

Chair,

District II Supervisor

JOHN GIOIA

District I Supervisor

KAREN MITCHOFF

District IV Supervisor

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: October 18, 2016

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

By Stephanie Mello, Deputy

