

Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, California

**IN THE MATTER OF RECOGNIZING DON LAU'S MANY
YEARS OF COMMUNITY SERVICE**

RESOLUTION NO. 2016/673

WHEREAS, Over the course of Mr. Lau's career with the YMCA of the East Bay, Mr. Lau worked his way up from Director of Educational Services to Executive Vice President/Regional Executive Director and most recently has stepped into the role of the Interim President/CEO; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Lau was instrumental in the formation of some of the "Y's" key facilities and programs in West Contra Costa County including the opening of the Hilltop YMCA in Richmond and the Rodeo Community YMCA in Bayo Vista, the formation of the Rosie's Girls Program in partnership with Rosie the Riveter Trust and National Park Service and the opening of the infant/toddler centers for teen mothers who are attending Kennedy and Richmond High Schools;

WHEREAS, Thanks largely to Mr. Lau's leadership, important YMCA programs were funded including mental health services for children in the West Contra Costa Unified School District and early childhood education to the Richmond Child Development Center; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Lau increased the West Contra Costa YMCA's budget dramatically and now it operates more than 40 program locations in the region, supporting and nurturing youth and families; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Lau is retiring after more than 30 years with the YMCA.

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

Mr. Lau

on his retirement, thank him for his lasting contributions to Contra Costa County, and wish him well on all future endeavors.

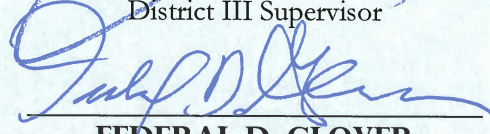
PASSED by a unanimous vote of the Board of Supervisors members present this 6th day of December, 2016.


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: December 6, 2016

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

By Stephanie Mello, Deputy