The Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, California

In the matter of recognizing September 2018 as National Recovery Month

Resolution No. 2018/463

WHEREAS, behavioral health is an essential part of health and one's overall wellness; and

WHEREAS, prevention of mental and alcohol and other drug use disorders works, treatment is effective, and people recover in our area and around the nation; and

WHEREAS, preventing and overcoming alcohol and other drug disorders is essential to achieving healthy lifestyles, both physically and emotionally; and

WHEREAS, we must encourage relatives and friends of people with mental and alcohol and other drug disorders to implement preventive measures, recognize the signs of a problem, and guide those in need to appropriate treatment and recovery support services like housing, employment, education, vocational rehab; and

WHEREAS, to help more people achieve and sustain long-term recovery, the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), the White House Office of National Drug Control Policy (ONDCP), and Contra Costa Country Board of Supervisors invite all residents of Contra Costa Country to participate in National Recovery Month and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors, do hereby proclaim the Month of September 2018 as NATIONAL RECOVERY MONTH in Contra Costa County and call upon the people of Contra Costa County to observe this month with appropriate programs, activities, and ceremonies to support this year's Recovery theme, Join the Voices for Recovery: Invest in Health, Home, Purpose, and Community.

PASSED by a unanimous vote of the Board of Supervisors members present this 11th day of September, 2018.

KAREN MITCHOFF

Chair,

District IV Supervisor

JOHN GIOIA

District I Supervisor

DIANE BURGIS

District III Supervisor

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District II 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 11, 2018

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

By Joelle Olymun, Deput

