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## The Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, California

In the matter of recognizing Nicholas Paul Couture for earning his Eagle Scout

Resolution No. 2019/615

WHEREAS, Nick Couture began his scouting path nine years ago, starting as a Cub Scout in Pack36, Den 3, in 2010; and

WHEREAS, after going through the ranks of Wolf and Bear, Nick became a Webelos Scout and earned the Arrow of Light Award, and became a Boy Scout in February2013, joining Troop 803; and in April, 2015 he became a Life Scout; and

WHEREAS, Nick has held a number of leadership positions in Troop 803, including being Assistant Patrol Leader, Librarian, and as Assistant Senior Patrol Leader he was Crew Leader at the Philmont 80-mile backpacking trip through the Rocky Mountain Range in the summer of 2017; and

WHEREAS, Nick worked diligently on his Eagle Scout Project, building eight planter box covers for the Green Valley Elementary School garden, he completed 28 merit badges and earned his Eagle Scout Award in September, 2019; and

WHEREAS, Nick also obtained his Bronze Palm on September 23, 2019 by earning an additional five merit badges beyond those required for his Eagle Scout Award; and

WHEREAS, Nick was fortunate to be born into a family with a legacy of service, with his grandmother, the Honorable Gayle B. Uilkema, dedicating her life to not only raising her two accomplished daughters, but selflessly serving her community while on the Lafayette Parks and Recreation Committee, sitting on the Lafayette City Council for 19 years, including four terms as Mayor, and on the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors for 16 years; and

WHEREAS, Nick's grandmother, the Honorable Gayle B. Uilkema, was always so proud of all her grandchildren's achievements, and would be especially delighted with this great accomplishment of Nick becoming an Eagle Scout.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County does hereby honor Nicholas Couture, Boy Scout Troop803, For his accomplishments leading to the Boy Scout's highest rank, Eagle Scout.

PASSED by a unanimous vote of the Board of Supervisors members present this 5th day of November, 2019.

JOHN GIOIA

Chair,

District I Supervisor

CANDACE ANDERSEN

District II Supervisor

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District IV Supervisor

DIANE BURGIS

District III 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: November 5, 2019

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

By Stephanie Mollo, Deputy