

The Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, California

In the matter of recognizing Jered E. Clark as the 2023 Youth Hall of Fame Rising Star Awardee for Perseverance.

Resolution No. 2023/114

WHEREAS, every March, the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors hosts a celebration, in honor of César E. Chávez, in recognition of his commitment to social justice and respect for human dignity; and

WHEREAS, this year's theme is Hope and Healing, Esperanza y Bienestar; and

WHEREAS, we take this opportunity to share stories of local students who are working hard to move us forward and improve the lives of others; and

WHEREAS, we recognize these students with the Youth Hall of Fame Awards, during the celebration, for their contributions to our community and in the spirit of one of our country's most treasured activists: César E. Chávez; and

WHEREAS, Jered Clark currently attends Black Diamond Middle School, in Antioch, where he holds a 4.0 GPA and will be graduating with his 8th grade class, at the end of this school year. He is a self-motivated person who is determined, outgoing, intelligent, and a stand-up scholar as he takes initiative to work on his assignments, as well as his extracurricular activities which include volunteering with local nonprofits and playing volleyball; and


WHEREAS, Jered tragically lost his parents to domestic violence at a very young age and he entered the foster care system. Today he faces obstacles head on, remains focused and determined to overcome barriers. His perseverance, at just 14 years of age, clearly shows he has a bright future ahead of him; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County does hereby recognizes Jered E. Clark Youth Hall of Fame Rising Star Awardee for Perseverance, and for exemplifying the values of service, integrity, kindness, activism, and leadership that César Chávez embodied, through his life.


PASSED by a unanimous vote of the Board of Supervisors members present this 4th day of April 2023.



JOHN GIOIA
Chair,
District I Supervisor



CANDACE ANDERSEN
District II Supervisor



DIANE BURGIS
District III Supervisor

Absent

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KEN CARLSON
District IV Supervisor

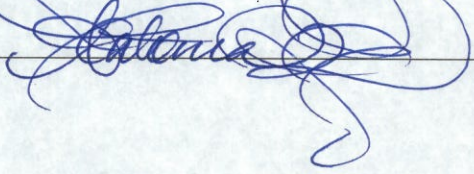
FEDERAL D. GLOVER
District V Supervisor



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: April 4, 2023

MONICA NINO, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors and County Administrator

By  _____, Deputy