To: **Board of Supervisors** 

From: David Twa, County Administrator

Date: August 25, 2015

Subject: CONTINUE Extension of Emergency Declaration Regarding Homelessness



Contra Costa County

### **RECOMMENDATION(S):**

CONTINUE the emergency action originally taken by the Board of Supervisors on November 16, 1999 regarding the issue of homelessness in Contra Costa County.

#### **FISCAL IMPACT:**

None.

#### **BACKGROUND:**

Government Code Section 8630 required that, for a body that meets weekly, the need to continue the emergency declaration be reviewed at least every 14 days until the local emergency is terminated. In no event is the review to take place more than 21 days after the previous review.

On November 16, 1999, the Board of Supervisors declared a local emergency, pursuant to the provisions of Government Code Section 8630 on homelessness in Contra Costa County.

With the continuing high number of homeless individuals and insufficient funding available to assist in sheltering all homeless individuals and families, it is appropriate for the Board to

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Action of Board On: 08/25/2015 APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED OTHER				
Clerks Notes:				
VOTE OF SUPERVISORS				
AYE:	John Gioia, District I Supervisor Candace Andersen, District II Supervisor Mary N. Piepho, District III Supervisor Karen Mitchoff, District IV 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: August 25, 2015  David Twa, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors		
ABSENT:	Federal D. Glover, District V Supervisor	By: Stephanie L. Mello, Deputy		
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continue the declaration of a local emergency regarding homelessness.	

# **CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:**

The Board of Supervisors would not be in compliance with Government Code Section 8630.

## CHILDREN'S IMPACT STATEMENT:

None.