



Contra Costa County

To: Board of Supervisors
 From: John Gioia, District I Supervisor
 Date: June 26, 2018

Subject: Resolution Designating Contra Costa County as a Welcoming County

BACKGROUND:

A Welcoming County first, addresses language and cultural access barriers to services and participation in civic life second and, second promotes coordination of services and resources for immigrants and refugees across all systems. Bay Area communities are the most equitable when all residents are fully able to participate in the region's economic vitality, contribute to the region's readiness for the future, and connect to the region's assets and resources. In order to bring public awareness to the millions of refugees and internally displaced persons worldwide who have been forced to flee their homes due to war, conflict and persecution June 20th has been designated World Refugee Day since 2001 by the United Nations General Assembly. The board's approval would designate Contra Costa County as a Welcoming County for Immigrants and Refugees, and recognize June 20th as World Refugee Day.

☒ APPROVE

☐ OTHER

☒ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY

☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD

ADMINISTRATOR

COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **06/26/2018** ☒ APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED ☐ OTHER

Clerks Notes:

VOTE OF SUPERVISORS

AYE: John Gioia, District I Supervisor
 Candace Andersen, District II Supervisor
 Diane Burgis, District III Supervisor
 Karen Mitchoff, 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: June 26, 2018

David Twa, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

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ATTACHMENTS

Resolution No.

2018/245