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Contra Costa County

To: Board of Supervisors

From: Brian M. Balbas, Public Works Director/Chief Engineer

Date: May 17, 2022

Subject: PROCLAIM the Week of May 15-21, 2022, as "National Public Works Week" in Contra Costa County

RECOMMENDATION(S):

ADOPT Resolution No. 2022/483 proclaiming the week of May 15-21, 2022, as "National Public Works Week" in Contra Costa County, as recommended by the Public Works Director, Countywide.

FISCAL IMPACT:

No fiscal impact.

BACKGROUND:

National Public Works Week (NPWW) is observed each year during the third full week of May. NPWW is a celebration of the tens of thousands of men and women in North America who provide and maintain the infrastructure and services collectively known as public works. This year's theme is "Ready & Resilient."

Instituted as a public education campaign by the American Public Works Association (APWA) in 1960, NPWW calls attention to the importance of public works in community

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Action of Board On: 05/17/2022 APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED OTHER	
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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: May 17, 2022 Monica Nino, County Administrator and Clerk of the Board of Supervisors By: Antonia Wolty, Daputy
	By: Antonia Welty, Deputy

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life. Public Works agencies across the nation seek to enhance the prestige of the often—unsung heroes of our society—the professionals who serve the public every day with quiet dedication. That quiet dedication includes emergency response at all hours of the day and night. The Public Works Maintenance and Facilities Divisions receive emergency call outs every week, not including calls during normal work hours. During wet winter months, they respond to numerous calls on a daily basis. County

BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

Public Works crews are well trained to perform a necessary duty to protect life and property in our communities. They respond to everything from flooding in our roadways and County buildings to large landslides, most of the time by Monday morning no one is aware that there was an issue, which is the way it should be.

Contra Costa County Public Works is proud to announce the creation of their new television series called "Inside Public Works." This show will give the Contra Costa County viewers the opportunity to learn about the quality programs, projects and services we offer from the dedicated staff who deliver them to our customers and communities. The premier episode will air on Contra Costa Television (CCTV) on Tuesday, May 17, 2022, at 7:00 p.m.

CONSEQUENCE OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

Contra Costa County will not be able to participate in the nationwide Public Works Week.

ATTACHMENTS

Resolution No. 2100/483