To: Board of Supervisors

From: Dorothy Sansoe, County Administrator

Date: January 10, 2012

Subject: 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

☑ APPROVE	☐ OTHER
☑ RECOMMENDATION OF CNTY ADMINISTRATOR	☐ RECOMMENDATION OF BOARD COMMITTEE

Action of Board On: **01/10/2012**   ☑ APPROVED AS RECOMMENDED   ☐ OTHER

Clerks Notes:

VOTE OF SUPERVISORS

AYE: John Gioia, District I
Supervisor

Mary N. Piepho, District III
Supervisor

Karen Mitchoff, District IV
Supervisor

Federal D. Glover, District V
Supervisor

ABSENT: Gayle B. Uilkema, District II
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: January 10, 2012

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

By: June McHuen, Deputy

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BACKGROUND: (CONT'D)

Board to 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.