

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

AGENDA ITEM NO.

C-3

For the meeting of: September 5, 2017

Date:

August 10, 2017

To:

Board of Supervisors

From:

Supervisor Virginia Bass

Subject:

Proclaim September 2017 as Local Food Month in Humboldt County.

RECOMMENDATION(S): That the Board of Supervisors adopt the Proclamation.

SOURCE OF FUNDING: N/A

<u>DISCUSSION</u>: The Community Alliance with Family Farmers requested the Board of Supervisors recognize the local farmers who provide our food in Humboldt County with a Proclamation.

FINANCIAL IMPACT: N/A

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT: N/A

ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

ATTACHMENTS: Proclamation.

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REVIEW:		Ö			
Auditor	County Counsel	Personnel	Risk Manager	Other	
TYPE OF ITEM: XX Consent Departmental Public Hearing Other Special Presentation (5 minutes) PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:			BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT Upon motion of Supervisor Sundberg Ayes Sundberg, Fennell, Bass, Bonn, Wilson Abstain Absent		
Board Order No			and carried by those member recommended action contain Dated: Sep. 5, 20	s present, the Board hereby ap ed in this Board report.	proves the

Kathy Hayes, Clerk of the Board

PROCLAMATION

OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

WHEREAS, Humboldt County is renowned for its local dairies, grassfed beef, and fresh fruits and vegetables; is recognized as a progressive farming epicenter; and is home to emergent artisan products crafted by local entrepreneurs; and

WHEREAS, family farmers are a cornerstone of our communities, trusted providers of nutritious food, stewards of our precious natural resources, and essential contributors to our local economy; and

WHEREAS, the unsurpassed quality of fresh, locally grown and raised food is highly valued in our community; and

WHEREAS, Humboldt County residents support the economic success of local family farmers, recognizing that the farmers' survival is integral to the preservation of open space and paramount to the health and wellbeing of the community; and

WHEREAS, September's Local Food Month promotes and celebrates all aspects of the food system within Humboldt County.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors hereby proclaims September 2017 as LOCAL FOOD MONTH, and urges all community members to join in a month-long celebration of local food and farming. The Council members wish to express sincere gratitude to the region's family farmers on behalf of their constituents.

DATED: September 5, 2017

Ungna Bass, Chair