



COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

AGENDA ITEM NO.
D-2

For the meeting of: September 6, 2016

Date: September 1, 2016
To: Board of Supervisors
From: Supervisor Mark Lovelace
Subject: Proclamation Recognizing September 2016 as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Awareness Month in Humboldt County

RECOMMENDATION(S):

That the Board of Supervisors adopt the Proclamation.

SOURCE OF FUNDING: N/A

DISCUSSION: The Humboldt County Board of Supervisors wishes to proclaim September 2016 as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Awareness Month in Humboldt County to educate, celebrate and commemorate the rich diversity of our community and the people who live here.

FINANCIAL IMPACT: N/A

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT: N/A

ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS: Board discretion.

ATTACHMENTS: Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, and Transgender Awareness Month Proclamation

Prepared by Ana Hartwell

Signature 

REVIEW: Auditor _____ County Counsel _____ Personnel _____ Risk Manager _____ Other _____

TYPE OF ITEM:
 Consent
 Departmental
 Public Hearing
 Other Special Presentation

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT
Upon motion of Supervisor Fennell Seconded by Supervisor Bass
Ayes Sundberg, Fennell, Lovelace, Bohn, Bass
Nays _____
Abstain _____
Absent _____

PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:
Board Order No. _____
Meeting of: _____

and carried by those members present, the Board hereby approves the recommended action contained in this Board report.

Dated: Sept. 6, 2016
By: 
Kathy Hayes, Clerk of the Board



PROCLAMATION

OF THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

IN RECOGNITION OF LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL, AND TRANSGENDER
AWARENESS MONTH

SEPTEMBER 2016

WHEREAS, one of our nation's greatest strengths is the rich diversity of its people. Gay, Lesbian, Bisexual and Transgender Americans form an important part of this national tapestry and have contributed to every facet of our society. However, even to this day, they are still marginalized, discriminated against, and physically and emotionally attacked; and

WHEREAS, the County of Humboldt recognizes and celebrates the steps forward that our nation has made with marriage equality, but the challenge and struggle for full equality continues for residents or visitors, including those in its Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender community; and

WHEREAS, the Humboldt Pride 2016 Festival invites all people from Humboldt County, Northern California, and Southern Oregon to celebrate our diverse community with a week-long series of events from September 4th through September 10th, culminating with the Pride Parade and Festival; and

WHEREAS, the 24th annual Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender Parade and Festival will be held in the City of Eureka on September 10, 2016 at Halvorsen Park.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Humboldt designates **September 2016 to be LESBIAN, GAY, BISEXUAL AND TRANSGENDER PRIDE AWARENESS MONTH** in Humboldt County.



DATED: September 6, 2016

MARK LOVELACE, Chair