



COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

AGENDA ITEM NO.

D-5

For the meeting of: November 4, 2014

Date: October 22, 2014
To: Board of Supervisors
From: Supervisor Ryan Sundberg
Subject: 33rd Annual Northwest Inter-Tribal Gathering and Elders Dinner Resolution

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

SOURCE OF FUNDING: N/A

DISCUSSION: The Humboldt County Board of Supervisors commends the Northern California Indian Development Council, Inc. for sharing the Native communities' long tradition of respect for the gift of Elders with the community through their sponsoring of the 33rd Annual Northwest Inter-Tribal Gathering and Elders Dinner on November 8, 2014 at Redwood Acres Fair Grounds.

FINANCIAL IMPACT: N/A

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT: N/A

ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS: Board discretion.

ATTACHMENTS: Resolution.

Prepared by Kathy Hayes

Signature [Handwritten Signature]

REVIEW:

Auditor County Counsel Personnel Risk Manager Other

TYPE OF ITEM:

- Consent
Departmental
Public Hearing
XX Other Special Presentation (5 minutes)

PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:

Board Order No.

Meeting of:

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

Upon motion of Supervisor Sundberg Seconded by Supervisor Fennell
Ayes Sundberg, Lovelace, Bohn, Fennell, Bass
Nays
Abstain
Absent

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

Dated: Nov. 4, 2014

By: [Handwritten Signature]
Kathy Hayes, Clerk of the Board



**RESOLUTION**  
OF THE  
**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**  
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT



**WHEREAS**, the Northern California Indian Development Council will be hosting the 33<sup>rd</sup> Annual Northwest Intertribal Gathering and Elders Dinner November 8, 2014 at Redwood Acres in Eureka from 10:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.; and

**WHEREAS**, the Gathering is an annual event established to honor all Elders regardless of ethnicity and provides an opportunity to pay respect to our Elders who are our link to the past and bridge to the future; and

**WHEREAS**, November is Native American Heritage Month, the Intertribal Gathering and Elders Dinner is an opportunity to celebrate Native American cultures; and

**WHEREAS**, the Elders Dinner will be served from Noon to 3:00 p.m. and will feature salmon traditionally cooked over an alder wood fire, as well as, a full turkey dinner; and


**WHEREAS**, last year, overall attendance was in excess of 5,000 people with over 1,500 meals served and 700 meals given away to community Elders; and

**WHEREAS**, there will be a special honoring and gifting of all Elders in attendance; and

**WHEREAS**, representatives from the Tolowa, Yurok, Hupa, Karuk, Aztec, Navajo and Miwok cultures will perform demonstrations of traditional California and other dances throughout the day.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors hereby commends the Northern California Indian Development Council for hosting the 33d Annual Northwest Intertribal Gathering and Elders Dinner and for sharing the Native communities' long tradition of respect for the gift of Elders.

DATED: November 4, 2014

  
Rex Bohn, Chair