



COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

AGENDA ITEM NO.
E-6

For the meeting of: May 2, 2017

Date: March 24, 2017
To: Board of Supervisors
From: Supervisor Rex Bohn
Subject: Older American Month Proclamation and Area I Agency on Aging Annual Report

RECOMMENDATION(S): That the Board of Supervisors adopt the proclamation and receive and file the report.

SOURCE OF FUNDING: N/A

DISCUSSION: May is Older Americans Month and the Board of Supervisors is honored to recognize the older citizens in our community and urges all residents to take time to honor older adults for the many ways they enrich our community.

Further, in the spirit of Older Americans Month, Maggie Kraft, Executive Director of the Area I Agency on Aging will also be presenting an annual report to the Board of Supervisors highlighting AIAA activities over the last year.

FINANCIAL IMPACT: N/A

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT: Area I Agency on Aging.

ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS: Board discretion.

ATTACHMENTS: N/A

Prepared by Kathy Hayes

Signature 

REVIEW:

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

TYPE OF ITEM:

____ Consent
____ Departmental
____ Public Hearing
XX _____ Other _____ Special Presentation (10 min) _____

PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:

Board Order No. _____

Meeting of: _____

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

Upon motion of Supervisor Fennell Seconded by Supervisor Sundberg

Ayes Sundberg, Fennell, Bass, Bohn, Wilson

Nays
Abstain
Absent

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

Dated: May 2, 2017

By: 
Kathy Hayes, Clerk of the Board

Proclamation
of the
Board of Supervisors
County of Humboldt

WHEREAS, Humboldt County includes older Americans who contribute their wisdom and service to improve our community; and

WHEREAS, ageism may be the last, unacknowledged form of prejudice and stereotyping, even though this discrimination diminishes all members of society; and

WHEREAS, the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors and Area I Agency on Aging recognize that older adults are working longer, trying new things, striving for wellness, focusing on independence, advocating for themselves and others, and paving the way for future generations; and

WHEREAS, our older community members expect to continue to live their lives to the fullest, and are insisting on changes that make that possible; and

WHEREAS, the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors wishes to reduce ageism by supporting and fostering a new voice of aging that reflects what today's older adults have to say about aging.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors hereby proclaims **May, 2017 as Older Americans Month**, urging all of us to reduce ageism and improve our community by agreeing to "**Age out Loud.**"

Dated: May 2, 2017



Virginia Bass
VIRGINIA BASS, Chair