



AGENDA ITEM NO.

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# COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

For the meeting of: August 9, 2016

Date: June 7, 2016

To: Board of Supervisors

From: Supervisors Virginia Bass

Subject: Proclaim August, 2016 as Coast Guard Month in Humboldt County

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

SOURCE OF FUNDING: N/A

DISCUSSION: August has been designated as the month to recognize the United States Coast Guard for providing protection to our coastline and the people and resources of our region. The Board of Supervisors is honoring everyone serving in the Coast Guard by proclaiming August, 2016 as Coast Guard Month in Humboldt County.

FINANCIAL IMPACT: N/A

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT: N/A

ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS: Board discretion.

ATTACHMENTS: Proclamation

Prepared by Kathy Hayes

Signature Virginia Bass

REVIEW:	Auditor _____	County Counsel _____	Personnel _____	Risk Manager _____	Other _____
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TYPE OF ITEM:

Consent

Departmental

Public Hearing

Other Special Presentation (5 minutes)

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

Upon motion of Supervisor Bass

Seconded by Supervisor Fennell

And unanimously carried by those members present,

The Board hereby adopts the recommended action contained in this report.

PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:

Board Order No. \_\_\_\_\_

Meeting of: \_\_\_\_\_

Dated: Aug. 9, 2016  
Tracy Damico, Deputy Clerk of the Board

By: Tracy Damico

**PROCLAMATION**  
**OF THE**  
**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**  
**COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT**

**WHEREAS**, on August 4<sup>th</sup>, 1790, the service that would eventually be known as the United States Coast Guard was established under the control of the Treasury Department as a maritime agency to enforce customs laws; and

**WHEREAS**, today's Coast Guard is the nation's oldest continuous maritime service, which over its 226 year history has been known as the U.S. Lighthouse Service, the Revenue Cutter Service, the Steamboat Inspection Service, the Lighthouse Board, the U.S. Life-Saving Service, the Bureau of Navigation and the Bureau of Marine Inspection and Navigation, and

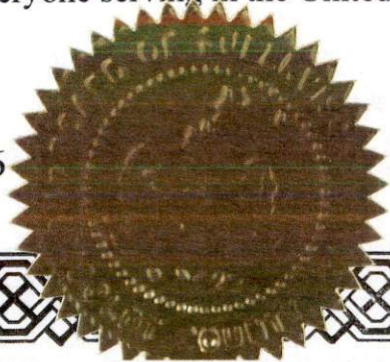
**WHEREAS**, the United States Coast Guard has modernized and increased its capability to meet current responsibilities, establishing the US Coast Guard Group Air Station Humboldt Bay in McKinleyville in 1977, and

**WHEREAS**, the Coast Guard's Air Station and Humboldt Bay Group are fitted with 3 helicopters, 2 patrol boats, and 4 motor lifeboats along with the many service men and women who live in our community and add to its vibrancy, and

**WHEREAS**, Coast Guard personnel are respected and admired for their bravery and willingness to go beyond the call of duty, meeting their motto of "Always Ready".

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors hereby proclaims August, 2016 as **Coast Guard Month in Humboldt County**, and encourages all Humboldt County residents to participate in the month-long events to recognize the United States Coast Guard for providing protection to our coastline and the people and resources of our region, and to honor everyone serving in the United States Coast Guard.

DATED: August 9, 2016



Handwritten signature of Mark Lovelace.

Mark Lovelace, Chair