



COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

AGENDA ITEM NO. **C2**

For the meeting of: October 24, 2017

Date: September 25, 2017
To: Board of Supervisors
From: Supervisor Estelle Fennell
Subject: Resolution honoring John Christianson on his retirement from the Humboldt County Library

RECOMMENDATION(S):

That the Board of Supervisors authorize the Chair to sign the Resolution.

SOURCE OF FUNDING: N/A

DISCUSSION: John Christianson has worked for the Humboldt County Library, Garberville Division for over 16 years. The Board of Supervisors would like to congratulate John on his retirement and thank him for his commitment to serving the citizens of Humboldt County.

FINANCIAL IMPACT: N/A

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT: N/A

ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS: Board discretion.

ATTACHMENTS: Resolution.

Prepared by Kathy Hayes

CAO Approval Estelle Fennell

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

TYPE OF ITEM:
 Consent
 Departmental
 Public Hearing
 Other Special Presentation (5 min)

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

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: 10/24/2017
By: Kathy Hayes
Kathy Hayes, Clerk of the Board

RESOLUTION
of the
Board of Supervisors
County of Humboldt

WHEREAS, John Christianson, manager of the Garberville Branch of the Humboldt County Library will retire on November 1, 2017, after 16 years of outstanding and meritorious service to the Library and the County of Humboldt; and

WHEREAS, John began his career as a teacher of ecology and environmental education at the Oak Grove School in Ojai, California, founded by the philosopher and educator J. Krishnamurti; and

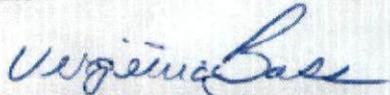
WHEREAS, throughout his many years as an educator, John taught the love of nature to preschool and elementary school children, both in the classroom and outdoors on hikes; and

WHEREAS, John has served the people of this County and patrons of the Garberville branch library with kindness and dedication; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of his delightful humor and inexhaustible supply of riddles, jokes, and puns he endeared himself to his fellow librarians and library patrons, proving that "laughter is the shortest distance between two people".

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors hereby extends to John Christianson our sincere and grateful appreciation for his dedicated service to the Humboldt County Library and the County of Humboldt, and congratulates him on his well-earned retirement, and wishes him continued success, happiness, and good health in the years to come.

DATED: October 24, 2017


VIRGINIA BASS, Chair

