



COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

AGENDA ITEM NO.

C-2

For the meeting of: December 2, 2014

Date: November 4, 2014
To: Board of Supervisors
From: Supervisor Virginia Bass
Subject: Resolution Recognizing 100th Anniversary of the International City/County Management Association (ICMA)

RECOMMENDATION(S): That the Board of Supervisors authorize the Chair to sign the Resolution.

SOURCE OF FUNDING: N/A

DISCUSSION: 2014 marks the 100th anniversary of ICMA, which has been instrumental in professionalizing management in local government. County Administrative Officer Phillip Smith-Hanes served on the 100th Anniversary Task Force for the organization and reported to the Board on September 23, 2014 regarding information shared at the ICMA Annual Conference.

FINANCIAL IMPACT: N/A

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT: Local Cities, ICMA

ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS: Board discretion.

ATTACHMENTS: Resolution.

Prepared by Kathy Hayes

CAO Approval Virginia Bass

REVIEW:

Auditor County Counsel Human Resources Other

TYPE OF ITEM:

- X Consent
Departmental
Public Hearing
Other

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

Upon motion of Supervisor Lovelace Seconded by Supervisor Bass

- Ayes Sundberg, Lovelace, Bohn, Fennell, Bass
Nays
Abstain
Absent

PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:

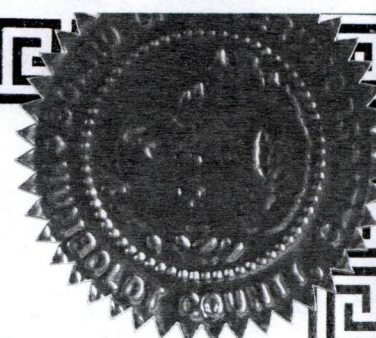
Board Order No.

Meeting of:

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

Dated: Dec. 2, 2014
By: Amy Hartwell
Kathy Hayes, Clerk of the Board

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



WHEREAS, one hundred years ago today, December 2, 1914, thirty-one City Managers met in Springfield, Ohio, "to promote the efficiency of city managers and municipal work in general" and form the City Managers' Association; and

WHEREAS, over the past century all seven of the incorporated cities within Humboldt County have adopted the council-manager form of government; and

WHEREAS, counties have also adopted professional management, beginning with Iredell County, North Carolina, in 1927; and

WHEREAS, the organization now known as the International City/County Management Association (ICMA) exists to develop and foster professional management to build sustainable communities that improve people's lives worldwide; and

WHEREAS, Humboldt County adopted the office of County Administrative Officer in 1964, and Humboldt County has been an ICMA-recognized local government since 1971; and


WHEREAS, the 100th anniversary of ICMA's founding underscores the importance of the local government management profession and of cultivating the next generation of professional local government managers; and

WHEREAS, Humboldt County is committed to serving our residents proudly, proficiently, diligently, and generously by improving and enhancing the quality of life in our community; and

WHEREAS, Humboldt County and its cities have been fortunate to benefit from the work performed by local government management professionals every day on behalf of our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors hereby congratulates ICMA on its century-long history of advocating efficient, effective, responsive, and exemplary professional management; recognizes the exemplary performance of our current and previous professional local government managers; and expresses our commitment to creating a succession plan that ensures the continued contributions of these individuals on behalf of our community.

December 2, 2014


Rex Bohn, Chair