



Humboldt County Board of Supervisors

RESOLUTION

in honor of

LILA LUCERO

WHEREAS, Humboldt County Department of Health & Human Services (DHHS) Community Health Outreach Worker (CHOW) II Lila Lucero is retiring after almost 28 years with the county; and

WHEREAS, Lila was first hired in 1997 as a part-time CHOW I; and

WHEREAS, over the years she was promoted to a CHOW II, took a position as an extra help Building Maintenance Custodian, left county employment for a couple years and then came back as a part-time CHOW II in 2004; and

WHEREAS, in June 2005, Lila accepted a full-time CHOW II position which she held until her recent retirement; and

WHEREAS, Lila spent many of her years working in the Eastern Humboldt community where she connected community residents with essential services and resources and fostered relationships between local agencies; and

WHEREAS, during the COVID pandemic response, Lila worked tirelessly on contact tracing, testing and assistance with vaccinations; and

WHEREAS, during her tenure with DHHS, Lila worked in a variety of Public Health programs, including the Alternative Response Team, Field Nursing, Nurse-Family Partnership and the Communicable Disease program; and

WHEREAS, Lila has worked to advocate for the health, safety and well-being of all members of Humboldt County and has built lasting relationships and empowered countless individuals, helping strengthen the fabric of the Willow Creek and Hoopa communities.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors hereby recognizes, honors and expresses our gratitude for Lila's years of dedication to the county, her clients and the community and wishes her a long and happy retirement spending time camping, soaking up the sun at the river with her grandchildren and attending the White Deerskin and Jump Dances.



Dated: May 13, 2025

Michelle Bushnell, Chair