

COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

For the meeting of: July 28, 2015

AGENDA ITEM NO.

D-3

Date: July 21, 2015

To: Board of Supervisors

From: Supervisors Virginia Bass

Subject: Proclaim August, 2015 as Coast Guard Month in Humboldt County

<u>RECOMMENDATION(S)</u>: That the Board of Supervisors adopt the Proclamation.

SOURCE OF FUNDING: N/A

<u>DISCUSSION</u>: 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, 2015 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 Mynie Bas	
REVIEW:		Martin Star		
Auditor	County Counsel	Personnel	Risk Manager Other	
TYPE OF ITEM: Consent Departmental Public Hearing XX Other Special Presentation (5 minutes) PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:			BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT Upon motion of Supervisor Bass Seconded by Supervisor And unanimously carried by those members present, The Board hereby adopts the recommended action contained in this report.	
Board Order No Meeting of:			Dated: <u>111 28, 2015</u> Tracy Damico, Deputy Clerk of the Board By: <u>he Hunhwell</u>	

PROCLAMATION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

WHEREAS, on August 7th, 1789, 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, 2015 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.

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Estelle Fennell, Chair

DATED: July 28, 2015