## **PROCLAMATION**

## OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

**WHEREAS**, the Humboldt County Fair was established in 1896 and has a long and unwavering history in Humboldt County; and

**WHEREAS**, this year marks the 126<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Humboldt County Fair; opening on August 18<sup>th</sup> and running through August 28th, 2022 with the theme being "There's No Time Like Fair Time"; and

WHEREAS, each year the Humboldt County Fair Association provides educational, entertainment and recreational opportunities for the general public while preserving and promoting the agricultural heritage of California's North Coast by showcasing the talents, interests, character and achievements of the residents of Humboldt County; and

**WHEREAS**, the Humboldt County Fair provides a variety of food, crafts, festivities, music, horse racing, and entertainment for all ages; and

WHEREAS, over the years, the Humboldt County Fair has had significant economic, educational, social and cultural impacts in the County, ranging from spending by attendees and businesses to nonprofit fundraising, job creation and tax revenues, to name a few; and

**WHEREAS**, the Humboldt County Fair Association operates the fairgrounds and conducts the annual fair on behalf of the County; and

**WHEREAS**, the Humboldt County Fair embodies community spirit and highlights the diversity of Humboldt County.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Humboldt hereby proclaims August 18 – August 28, 2022 as Humboldt County Fair Days in the town of Ferndale, and encourages the citizens of Humboldt County to visit and partake in this long standing tradition.

DATED: August 9, 2022

Virginia Bass, Chair