



COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

AGENDA ITEM NO.

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For the meeting of: May 8, 2018

Date: April 24, 2018
To: Board of Supervisors
From: Supervisor Ryan Sundberg
Subject: Soroptimist International Annual Conference Welcome Letter

RECOMMENDATION(S): That the Board of Supervisors ratify authorization for the Chair to sign the letter.

SOURCE OF FUNDING: N/A

DISCUSSION: The Soroptimist International Annual Conference is being held in San Ramon, California May 4th through May 6th, 2018 and is being sponsored by three local Soroptimist clubs (Humboldt Bay, Eureka and Eel River Valley). Humboldt County Board of Supervisors Chairman, Ryan Sundberg has been asked to provide the "Welcome" address during opening ceremonies. However, as Chair Sundberg is unable to attend the event a letter is being sent and will be read Clerk Recorder, Kelly Sanders who is the Chair of Soroptimist International of Humboldt Bay.

FINANCIAL IMPACT:

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT: Soroptimist International of Humboldt Bay, Soroptimist International of Eureka and Soroptimist International of Eel River Valley.

ALTERNATIVES TO STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS: Board discretion.

ATTACHMENTS: Welcome letter.

Prepared by Kathy Hayes

Signature Ryan Sundberg

REVIEW:

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

TYPE OF ITEM:

☒ Consent
☐ Departmental
☐ Public Hearing
☐ Other _____

PREVIOUS ACTION/REFERRAL:

Board Order No. _____

Meeting of: _____

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

Upon motion of Supervisor Wilson Seconded by Supervisor Bass

Ayes Bass, Fennell, Sundberg, Behn, Wilson
Nays _____
Abstain _____
Absent _____

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

Dated: 5/8/18

By: _____

Kathy Hayes, Clerk of the Board



BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

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April 24, 2018

Welcome!

Pam Parker, Governor of Founder Region
Members of the Founder Region Board
Kathy King, Federation Director
Bobbi Enderlin, Fellowship President and Members of the Fellowship Board
Soroptimist Members
Fellowship Winners and Guests

On behalf of Soroptimist International of Humboldt Bay, Soroptimist International of Eureka and Soroptimist International of Eel River Valley, I want to welcome all of you to the Soroptimist International Annual Conference and thank our three local clubs for their sponsorship of this year's conference.

As you know Soroptimist is an international organization for business and professional women dedicated to improving the lives of women and girls in local communities and throughout the world. To that end, I would like to highlight some of the wonderful projects and local activities our three local clubs here in Humboldt County sponsor to make women and girl's lives better.

I am extremely proud of our local club's efforts to assist in funding local organizations such as the Youth Services Bureau, Redwood Vets Center, Food for People, Redwood Coast Action Agency, Girl Scouts, Humboldt Domestic Violence Shelter, Youthability, Humboldt Senior Resource Center, Re-Entry Seminar for Women Re-Entering College, Safe Haven/Redwood Teen Challenge Center Projects, Backpack Buddy Program, to name a few. In addition, the Fall Dinner and Theater Night and High Heels for Healing fundraisers help support the many local projects on an annual basis, as well.

Humboldt County is a community of caring and committed individuals who work tirelessly to improve the quality of life for all its citizens. Our local Soroptimist Clubs are a vital part of our community and I want to thank them and all the Soroptimist organizations across our great nation for their efforts to improve the lives of women and girls in their communities.

Have a wonderful conference and thank you for all the work you do to positively impact the lives of women and girls in your communities and throughout the nation.

Sincerely,

Ryan Sundberg, Chair
Humboldt County Board of Supervisors

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