

# The Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, California

**In the matter of: Recognizing August 31, 2025,  
as International Overdose Awareness Day in  
Contra Costa County.**

Resolution No. 2025-264

**WHEREAS**, the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors does affirm and acknowledge the harm and impact surrounding drug overdose; and

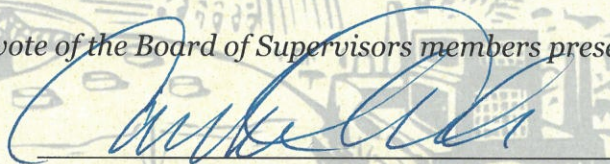
**WHEREAS**, the Board of Supervisors declares and recognizes *International Overdose Awareness Day* which is being held to eliminate the stigma associated with overdose, remember loved ones who have died from drug overdose, and support those left behind with their grief; and

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Supervisors, in partnership with Contra Costa Health Services and our many community and health partners, resolves to help reduce the number of overdoses which continue to claim the lives of Contra Costa County community members every year and forever affects those who loved and cared about them; and

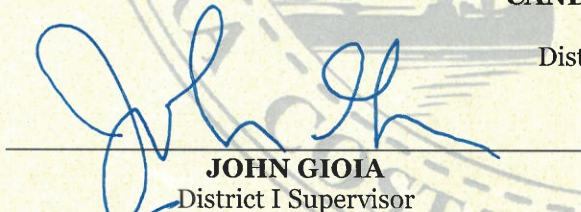
**WHEREAS**, the Board of Supervisors acknowledges that the people affected by overdose are our family members, friends, co-workers and neighbors, and are deserving of our remembrance, love, compassion and support; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, along with the Contra Costa County MEDS Coalition, the National Coalition Against Prescription Drug Abuse and other community partners, does hereby proclaim August 31<sup>st</sup>, 2025, as *International Overdose Awareness Day*.

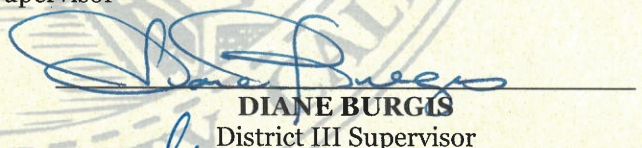
*PASSED by a unanimous vote of the Board of Supervisors members present this 5<sup>th</sup> day of August 2025.*



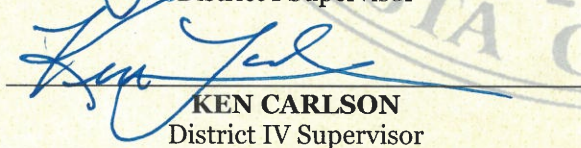
**CANDACE ANDERSEN**  
Chair,  
District II Supervisor



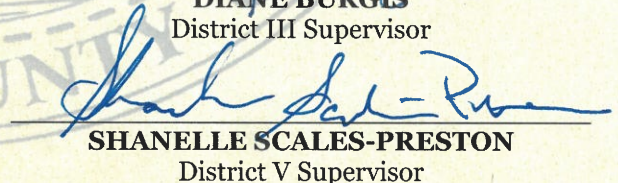
**JOHN GIOIA**  
District I Supervisor



**DIANE BURGIS**  
District III Supervisor



**KEN CARLSON**  
District IV Supervisor



**SHANELLE SCALES-PRESTON**  
District V Supervisor



I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of an action taken and entered on the minutes of the Board of Supervisors on the date shown:

ATTESTED: August 5, 2025

MONICA NINO, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors and County Administrator

By , Deputy