The Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, California

In the matter of: Proclaiming September 2025 as Workforce Development Month, in Contra Costa County.

Resolution No. 2025-282

WHEREAS, Workforce Development Month is a nationwide celebration in September to showcase the opportunities that Workforce Development offers for Americans to develop workplace experience and skills that employers value; and

WHEREAS, Workforce Development Month is a time to recognize, honor, and promote the contributions of our nation's workforce professionals; and

WHEREAS, the Workforce Development Board of Contra Costa County (WDBCCC), part of the Employment and Human Services Department, aims to achieve economic growth for our region; and

WHEREAS, during Fiscal Year 2024-2025, WDBCCC served more than 3,222 businesses and provided career services through the Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act (WIOA) programs to approximately 8,843 individuals; and

WHEREAS, during Fiscal Year 2024-2025, WDBCCC has shown tremendous expertise and responsiveness in ensuring that the organization is in full compliance with the complex array of federal, state and County policies and regulations; and

WHEREAS, WDBCCC has established itself as a regional leader in the State of California workforce community through a wide array of innovative programs and initiatives; and

WHEREAS, workforce development stands as a powerful driver of economic progress: for every dollar invested in workforce development programs, there is an estimated return of \$4.41 in increased productivity and decreased social assistance costs (National Association of Workforce Development Professionals); and

WHEREAS, workforce development and job training programs, services, strategic connections, and partnerships that the WDBCCC uses to solve complex workforce issues and leverage public-private resources to contribute to our region's economic competitiveness, ultimately improve the quality of life for all who live in Contra Costa County; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County does hereby proclaims September 2025 as Workforce Development Month in Contra Costa County to honor all individuals in Workforce Development organizations and partnerships that play such a vital role in strengthening our economy.

PASSED by a unanimous vote of the Board of Supervisors members present this 9th day of September 2025.

DACE ANDERSEN

Chair,

District II Supervisor

JOHN GIOIA District I Supervisor

Absent

KEN CARLSON District IV Supervisor DIANE BURGIS

District III Supervisor

NELLE 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: September 9, 2025

MONICA NINO, Clerk of the Board isors and County Administrator

Deputy