The Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, California

In the matter of: Recognizing Dr. Eugene "Gene" Gottfried as 2024 Orinda Volunteer of the Year.

Resolution No. 2024-362

WHEREAS, Dr. Eugene Gottfried, a retired medical doctor, has volunteered in many capacities, over many years, to benefit the Orinda community; and

WHEREAS, Gene was an early board member and supporter of the Rescue One Foundation and has previously served as a board member for the Moraga-Orinda Fire District and the Orinda Community Foundation. Gene has also served in the Rotary Club of Orinda and the Lamorinda Village; and

WHEREAS, Gene is the Founder, Neighborhood Watch/Upper El Toyonal, a consortium of neighborhood preparedness groups (with about 12 block captains and 150 families) organized to promote family and neighborhood safety and emergency preparedness; and

WHEREAS, Gene is also a member of the Orinda Public Safety Advisory Commission, and a Community Emergency Response Team instructor. Following a career in academic medicine, Gottfried maintains an appointment as Professor Emeritus at UCSF; and

WHEREAS, Gene proudly served the United States Naval Reserve (Medical Corps): Active duty 2 years plus Ready Reserves 7 years; final rank of Lieutenant Commander: and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County does hereby honors Dr, Eugene "Gene" Gottfried for his passion and dedication in keeping Orinda safe.

PASSED by a unanimous vote of the Board of Supervisors members present this 22nd day of October 2024.

FEDERAL D. GLOVER

Chair,

District V. Supervisor

JOHN GIOIA

District I Supervisor

DIANE BURGIS

District III Supervisor

CANDACE ANDERSEN District II Supervisor

KEN CARLSON District IV 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: October 22, 2024

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

, Deputy