

# The Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, California

**In the matter of: Recognizing CoCoKids on  
their 50th Anniversary Celebration.**

Resolution No. 2026-109

**WHEREAS**, for 50 years, CocoKids has been Contra Costa County's leading champion for children, families, and early educators; and

**WHEREAS**, they were founded in 1976 as the Contra Costa Child Care Council, the organization has grown from a small Child Care Resource and Referral agency into a comprehensive nonprofit serving thousands of families, early educators, and community partners each year; and

**WHEREAS**, rooted in its mission "to champion and advance quality child care and early education," CocoKids offers a wide range of free services that ensure children are safe, healthy, and ready to thrive in school and life; and

**WHEREAS**, their services include child care referrals for all families, parent support and education, financial support for child care costs for at-risk and low-income households, health and nutrition programs, inclusion support, and extensive professional development for the early learning workforce; and

**WHEREAS**, with offices in Concord, Richmond, and Antioch, CocoKids strengthens the county's early learning ecosystem by equipping early educators with the tools they need to deliver high-quality, developmentally appropriate care; and

**WHEREAS**, its long-standing commitment to equity and inclusion ensures that every child regardless of background can reach their fullest potential; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County does hereby honors *CoCoKids* on their *50th Anniversary* as they stand as a trusted and steadfast partner to the community -- a true "Childhood Champion" -- uplifting families, supporting the early learning workforce, and ensuring that Contra Costa County's children have a solid foundation for lifelong success. The Board of Supervisors expresses its deep appreciation for the work that CocoKids has provided to Contra Costa County, over the last 50 years.

*PASSED by a unanimous vote of the Board of Supervisors members present this 14th day of April 2026.*



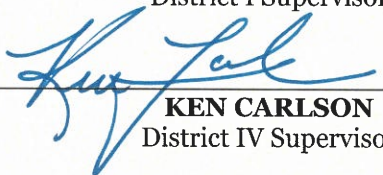
**DIANE BURGIS**  
Chair,  
District III Supervisor



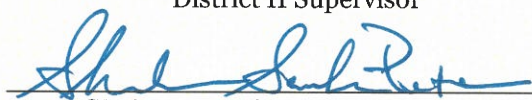
**JOHN GIOIA**  
District I Supervisor



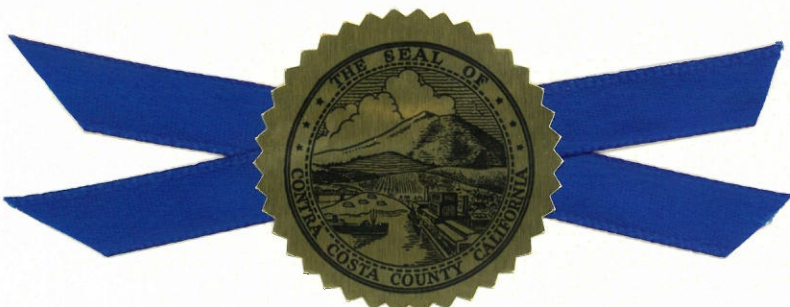
**CANDACE ANDERSEN**  
District II Supervisor



**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: April 14, 2026

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

By  , Deputy