

The Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County, California

In the matter of: **Proclaiming February 20,
2026, as *Government Communication Day*, in
Contra Costa County.**

Resolution No. 2026-33

WHEREAS, government communications professionals serve as a critical bridge between public institutions and the residents they serve, ensuring that essential information is accurate, accessible, and responsive to community needs; and

WHEREAS, effective government communications strengthen public trust, support transparency, and encourage residents to engage in civic dialogue, participate in local decision-making, and take collective action to support their communities; and

WHEREAS, government communicators elevate community voices, build meaningful relationships, and use clear, compelling storytelling across diverse platforms to ensure all residents - regardless of language, background, or ability - have opportunities to be informed and included; and

WHEREAS, timely, trusted, and equitable communication is fundamental to a healthy democracy, empowering residents to navigate public services, understand policy decisions, and participate fully in civic life; and

WHEREAS, Contra Costa County values the expertise, dedication, creativity, and public service commitment of government communicators, whose work strengthens community resilience, enhances public understanding, and upholds the County's principles of transparency and accountability; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County does hereby proclaims February 20, 2026, as ***Government Communication Day***, honoring the essential contributions of these professionals in advancing open government, supporting informed communities, and strengthening the democratic process.

PASSED by a unanimous vote of the Board of Supervisors members present this 10th day of February 2026.



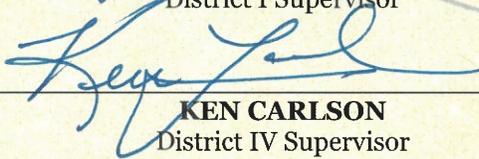
DIANE BURGIS
Chair,
District III Supervisor



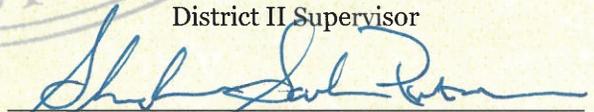
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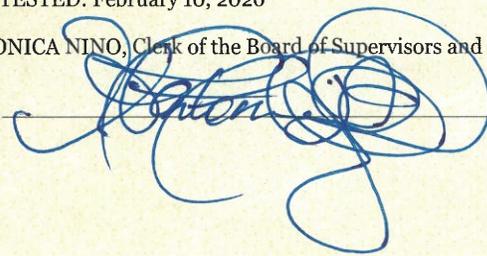
SHANELLE SCALES-PRESTON
District V Supervisor



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: February 10, 2026

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

By  , Deputy