

PROCLAMATION OF THE MENDOCINO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

RECOGNIZING THE LEADERSHIP MENDOCINO GRADUATING CLASS XIX

WHEREAS, the intent of the Leadership Mendocino program is to strengthen our communities by educating a diverse group of people who will get involved and make a difference; and

WHEREAS, 32 participants of diverse backgrounds and experience and from many parts of Mendocino County have participated in Class XIX; and

WHEREAS, the participants in Leadership Mendocino Class XIX have fulfilled the requirements of graduation through a strong commitment to:

- Participate as a community leader in shaping a healthy future for Mendocino County;
- Gather monthly to learn about issues of importance in Mendocino County, beginning with a September retreat and continuing one Friday each month through May;
- Learn about community resources, challenges and opportunities through presentations, field trips, experiential learning and open discussions;
- Learn leadership skills in workshops and from mentors;
- Network with numerous community leaders and class day presenters from throughout Mendocino County who have diverse expertise and have mentored this class;
- Plan and produce a community-betterment project; and
- Build working relationships with one another that will be a support for community leadership in the future.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Mendocino recognizes the members of Class XIX for their commitment and accomplishment on behalf of our communities, and encourage the members to continue to support one another in their ongoing effort to make meaningful contributions to the vitality of Mendocino County.

Dated: April 23, 2012

John McCowen, Chair