

Mendocino County

Legislation Text

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TO: Board of Supervisors FROM: Supervisor Brown and Supervisor McCowen MEETING DATE: March 10, 2020

DEPARTMENT CONTACT: Supervisor Brown PHONE: 463-4441 DEPARTMENT CONTACT: Supervisor McCowen PHONE: 463-4441

ITEM TYPE: Consent Agenda

TIME ALLOCATED FOR ITEM: N/A

AGENDA TITLE: Adoption of a Proclamation Recognizing Val Muchowski During Women's History Month in Mendocino County (Sponsor: Supervisors Brown and McCowen)

RECOMMENDED ACTION/MOTION:

Adopt Proclamation recognizing Val Muchowski during Women's History Month in Mendocino County; and authorize Chair to sign same.

PREVIOUS BOARD/BOARD COMMITTEE ACTIONS:

Each year the Mendocino County Board of Supervisors proclaims March as "Women's History Month" in recognition of the achievements of all women in Mendocino County. On February 25, 2020, a Proclamation was adopted and several honor ees were listed.

SUMMARY OF REQUEST:

The Mendocino County Board of Supervisors proclaims March as "Women's History Month" in recognition of the achievem ents of all women in Mendocino County. The annual celebration was held on Sunday, March 1, at the Saturday Afternoon Clubhouse, 107 South Oak Street, in Ukiah.

"Valiant Women of the Vote" was the theme for this year's event. The 2020 theme celebrated the women who have fought for a woman's right to vote in the United States and the passage of the 19th amendment to the United States Constitution officially giving women that right. The 2020 theme also recognized the intersecting forms of discrimination women have fa ced, and continue to face, throughout American history and celebrates the diverse women who have fought, and continue to fight, discrimination at all levels and in all forms.

The tradition of the annual Women's History Celebration is to recognize and honor particular women who exemplify each y ear's designated theme for contributions to their communities through their fields of work. Several Mendocino County wom en were recognized for their work strengthening the vote. One honoree was unknown at the time of the publication of the a genda.

A new award this year was created. Val Muchowski received the Bella Azbug: Passion in Politics Award and is the first rec ipient. Ms. Muchowski deserves recognition for her years of commitment of gaining women involvement in the political pro cess from the Board of Supervisors.

ALTERNATIVE ACTION/MOTION: Do not adopt Proclamation.

SUPERVISORIAL DISTRICT: ALL

VOTE REQUIREMENT: Majority

SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION AVAILABLE ONLINE AT: N/A

FISCAL DETAILS: SOURCE OF FUNDING: N/A BUDGETED IN CURRENT F/Y: N/A CURRENT F/Y COST: N/A IF NO, PLEASE DESCRIBE: ANNUAL RECURRING COST: N/A REVENUE AGREEMENT: N/A BUDGET CLARIFICATION: N/A AGREEMENT/RESOLUTION/ORDINANCE APPROVED BY COUNTY COUNSEL: N/A

CEO LIAISON: Janelle Rau, Deputy CEO

CEO REVIEW: Yes

CEO COMMENTS:

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