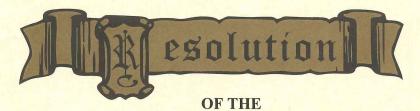
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## **BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**

OF THE

County Of Sonoma, State Of California,

Recognizing North Bay Science Discovery Day on March 11, 2023

Whereas, the healthy functioning of our democracy requires a scientifically literate populace willing to make scientifically-informed contributions to their communities; and

Whereas, Sonoma County and the State of California benefit economically from a scientifically literate workforce; and

Whereas, cultivating a scientific workforce starts with providing young people opportunities to spark wonder and curiosity in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics (STEM); and

Whereas, the North Bay Science Discovery Day will be a free event providing Sonoma County youth hands-on experiments, demonstrations, and engineering design challenges to experience the excitement, wonder, and curiosity of STEM careers; and

Whereas, the North Bay Science Discovery Day is planned by a volunteer committee; hosted by the University of California Cooperative Extension, founded by the Buck Institute for Research on Aging, and supported by the Sonoma County Office of Education, Sonoma County Library, Santa Rosa Junior College, Sonoma State University, Career Technical Education Foundation of Sonoma County, Medtronic, and other organizations in Sonoma County.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that the Board of Supervisors hereby authorize the Chairperson to recognize the North Bay Science Discovery Day held on March 11, 2023 in the County of Sonoma, California.

Supervisor Susan Gorin

Supervisor David Rabbitt

Supervisor James Gore

Supervisor Lynda Hopkins

Supervisor Chris Coursey, Chair