

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS
BOARD ACTION SUMMARY

DEPT: Board of Supervisors

BOARD AGENDA #: *A-3

AGENDA DATE: December 20, 2016

SUBJECT:

Approval to Proclaim January 2017 as Mentor Awareness Month in Stanislaus County

BOARD ACTION AS FOLLOWS:

No. 2016-644

On motion of Supervisor O'Brien, Seconded by Supervisor Withrow
and approved by the following vote,

Ayes: Supervisors: O'Brien, Chiesa, Withrow, DeMartini, and Chairman Monteith

Noes: Supervisors: None

Excused or Absent: Supervisors: None

Abstaining: Supervisor: None

1) Approved as recommended

2) Denied

3) Approved as amended

4) Other:

MOTION:



ATTEST: PAM VILLARREAL, Assistant Clerk

File No.

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Urgent Routine



AGENDA DATE: December 20, 2016

CEO CONCURRENCE: _____

4/5 Vote Required: Yes No

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STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. Proclaim January 2017 as Mentor Awareness Month in Stanislaus County.

CONTACT PERSON:

Elizabeth King, Clerk of the Board

Phone number: 209-525-4494

PROCLAIMING JANUARY 2017 AS
MENTOR AWARENESS MONTH IN STANISLAUS COUNTY

WHEREAS, January 2017 has been proclaimed as National Mentoring Month; and,

WHEREAS, we all remember, when growing up, an adult who had a positive and powerful influence on our emotional and intellectual development; and,

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County Board of Supervisors, in 1998, initiated the Employee Mentor Program as the cornerstone of Stanislaus County's commitment to organization citizenship; and,

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County Employee Mentor Program continues to thrive through its partnership with community based organizations, service clubs, Stanislaus Office of Education (SCOE), and private business sector, having exceed the 27,700 total mentor hour mark through calendar year 2016; and,

WHEREAS, the Stanislaus County Employee Mentor Program is now entering its 19th consecutive year in 2017 signifying a powerful commitment to sustainability by our elected leadership, department heads, community partners and our employees; and,

WHEREAS, mentoring is a recognized strategy with youth to improve school attendance, academic performance, middle school transitions and high school graduation rates: and,

WHEREAS, mentoring is a recognized strategy with youth to avoid alcohol, tobacco and drug use/abuse, deter teen pregnancy, avoid joining gangs and to make quality of life choices; and,

WHEREAS, mentoring is a cross-cutting strategy to promote self-confidence, personal skills and positive youth development.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Stanislaus, State of California, does hereby proclaim January 2017 as Mentor Awareness Month in Stanislaus County and encourages all adults to become positive and powerful role models for the youth of Stanislaus County.