

*The Board of Supervisors of
Contra Costa County, California*

In the matter of:

Resolution No. 2011/190

Recognizing Gloria Magleby for a lifetime of good works and civic contributions to the community of Bay Point.

Whereas, Gloria Magleby, as a 16-year old girl and with her family, moved from Utah to West Pittsburg, now known as the community of Bay Point, in Contra Costa County in 1942, where she has lived ever since; and

Whereas, Gloria Magleby graduated from Mount Diablo High School in Concord, CA in 1944 and attended the University of Nevada and the University of California at Berkeley; and

Whereas, during World War II she worked at the Port Chicago Naval Magazine and was employed there when the Port Chicago explosion of 1944 occurred killing hundreds of sailors who were loading ammunition onto the ships; and

Whereas, after the war Gloria Magleby started her own business services company, Los Medanos Business Services; and

Whereas, her generosity in giving her services free of charge to charitable organizations made her seek other employment; and

Whereas, she was hired at Royal Dutch Shell in 1959 where she remained until her retirement in 1988; and

Whereas, in the years when most people find satisfaction in quiet retirement, Gloria Magleby began a second career in public service; and

Whereas, in 1988 she was first elected to serve on the Municipal Advisory Council (MAC) where she has been an active council member; and

Whereas, she was appointed to the newly reorganized MAC in 2004 by Supervisor Federal Glover; and

Whereas, she either founded or reinvigorated several community organizations, including the Bay Point Historical Society, the Bay Point Chamber of Commerce, the Bay Point Garden Club and the Bay Point Pride; and

Whereas she has been a faithful member of the Daughters of the Utah Pioneers and taught religious classes as a member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints; and

Whereas, in 2002, she was named "Woman of the Year" by the California State Assembly as nominated by Assembly member Mark DeSaulnier; and

Whereas, on May 26, 2011 the community of Bay Point will gather to celebrate her contributions as a private citizen and as a public servant.

Now, therefore, be it resolved that the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors recognizes, praises and honors Gloria Magleby for improving the quality of life in Bay Point by making Bay Point an safer, cleaner and more beautiful place to live. The vital role she has played in getting Bay Point residents involved in community life and improving schools as well as her continuing contributions to the life, history and betterment of Bay Point and its residents are worthy of recognition. Therefore, be it further resolved that on May 25, 2011 the Contra Costa County Board of Supervisors grant Gloria Magleby the unofficial but honorary title as "Mayor of Bay Point" for the day.

GAYLE B. UILKEMA

Chair,
District II Supervisor

JOHN GIOIA
District I Supervisor

MARY N. PIEPHO
District III Supervisor

KAREN MITCHOFF
District IV Supervisor

FEDERAL D. GLOVER
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: June 21, 2011

David J. Twa,

By: _____, Deputy