

Resolution No.

Resolution Of The City Council Of The City Of Emeryville In Recognition Of the Citizens For East Shore Parks' Thirty Years Of Public Service

WHEREAS, Citizens for East Shore Parks was founded thirty years ago to promote the creation of a State Park along the East Bay Shoreline of San Francisco Bay; and

WHEREAS, in large part because of the work of Citizens for East Shore Parks, McLaughlin Eastshore State Park has been created and is currently protecting and preserving 8.5 miles of open space, wildlife habitat, and public recreation space along the East Bay Shoreline stretching from the Bay Bridge in Oakland, through Emeryville, Berkeley, Albany adjacent to El Cerrito into Richmond; and

WHEREAS Citizens for East Shore Parks spearheaded a movement joined by thousands to create this shoreline park on the east side of San Francisco Bay; and

WHEREAS, the magnificent McLaughlin Eastshore Park now provides hundreds of thousands of Bay Area residents and visitors with access to the Bay for recreation, preserves once threatened views and habitat, and protects wildlife; and

WHEREAS, Citizens for East Shore Parks remains committed to protecting, preserving and expanding open space along the East Bay Shoreline and to furthering the completion of the McLaughlin Eastshore State Park; and

WHEREAS, the City of Emeryville has been a long supporter of the Citizens for East Shore Parks advocacy in supporting and facilitating the creation of the Park,

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Emeryville hereby recognizes and celebrates the exceptional service to the East Bay provided by Citizens for East Shore Parks and supports its continuing work on protecting the East Bay shoreline.

ADOPTED, by the City Council of the City of Emeryville at a regular meeting held Tuesday, November 3, 2015.

ATTEST:

CITY CLERK

MAYOR:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Michael Quinn

CITY ATTORNEY