



County of Sonoma

State of California

Date: December 16, 2025

Item Number: _____

Resolution Number: _____

4/5 Vote Required

**Resolution Of The Board Of Supervisors Of The County Of Sonoma, State Of California,
Honoring Robert H. Pittman For His Exemplary Service To The County Of Sonoma**

Whereas, Robert H. Pittman has dedicated over three decades to public service, first as a city planner and then as a lawyer representing public entities, culminating in his appointment as County Counsel for the County of Sonoma on September 22, 2020; and

Whereas, throughout his distinguished tenure, Bob Pittman exemplified the highest standards of legal integrity, professionalism, and public stewardship, leading the County Counsel's Office in providing timely and sound legal advice to the Sonoma County Board of Supervisors, departments, affiliated agencies, boards, special districts and commissions; and

Whereas, Bob's leadership has been instrumental in navigating complex legal challenges across a wide range of subject areas including land use, natural resources, labor law, health and human services, finance, and litigation, always with a steady hand, deep knowledge, and unwavering commitment to the public interest; and

Whereas, Bob provided steadfast leadership during numerous natural disasters that have impacted Sonoma County including floods, fires, and the COVID19 pandemic; and

Whereas, under his guidance, the County Counsel's Office has consistently upheld the County's legal responsibilities while safeguarding public resources and supporting the effective implementation of County policies and programs; and

Whereas, Bob has been a trusted advisor, respected colleague, and mentor, fostering a

collaborative and supportive work environment, investing in the development of legal staff, and leaving a legacy of professionalism and excellence in public law; and

Whereas, he has further served the broader legal and civic community through his work with the Sonoma County Bar Association, organizing regular meetings with other public law office leaders in Sonoma County, and his dedication to transparent, ethical governance; and

Whereas, Bob's leadership and counsel have had lasting impact on the County and its residents, contributing to strong, responsive local government and promoting the fair and equitable application of the law; and

Whereas, personal presentation is a reflection of character, confidence, and refinement and Bob consistently exemplifies superior elegance through attire that is both thoughtfully curated and impeccably executed with a style that reflects not only exceptional fashion sense, but also an unwavering dedication to quality, sophistication, and excellence; and

Whereas, Bob Pittman will retire from his role as County Counsel, leaving behind a legacy of service, stability, and distinction that has benefited the people of Sonoma County and set a high bar for future public legal service.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that the Sonoma County Board of Supervisors hereby honors and commends Robert Pittman for his exemplary service, expresses deepest appreciation for his dedication and contributions to Sonoma County, and extends best wishes for a fulfilling and well-deserved retirement.

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Ayes:

Noes:

Absent:

Abstain:

So Ordered.