



County of Sonoma

State of California

Date: June 4, 2019

Item Number: _____

Resolution Number: _____

☐ 4/5 Vote Required

Resolution Of The Board Of Supervisors Of The County Of Sonoma, State Of California, Honoring Stephen Bullard For Achieving The Ranks of Eagle Scout, Order of the Arrow and Brotherhood Status

Whereas, the Boy Scouts of America have a long and impressive history of preparing young men to assume responsibility in their communities; and

Whereas, Stephen Bullard, a member of Troop 20, worked diligently to complete his Eagle Scout in June 2017; and

Whereas, for Stephen's Eagle Project, he prioritized making fire hydrants accessible in Forestville by clearing away dirt, grass and brush before giving each fire hydrant a fresh coat of paint, ensuring they were easily seen and used by the fire department in times of emergency; and

Whereas, the Order of the Arrow recognizes Boy Scouts who best exemplify the Scout oath and law in their daily lives and those who are elected into the Order of the Arrow serve as role models for younger scouts, encouraging them to live by the ideals as well; and

Whereas, to earn Brotherhood Status within the Order of the Arrow, Stephen completed 10 months of service as an Ordeal member, living and working on camp improvement projects in silence, eating small amounts of food and sleeping in solitude, in effort to learn significant values, including trustworthiness, courteousness and kindness; and

Whereas, Stephen is a resident of West Sonoma County and an El Molino Lion, Class of

2019, who spent his time at El Mo involved in the school's drama program, mastering Tae Kwon Do, achieving a 2nd Degree Black Belt; and pouring his passion and talent for swimming on the El Molino Lions varsity swim team and working as a lifeguard at Ives Pool in Sebastopol for three years; and

Whereas, Stephen is considering a career in law enforcement at Central Washington University in Ellensburg, Washington where he will study Criminal Justice; and

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Sonoma commends Stephen Bullard upon his outstanding achievements of joining the ranks of Eagle Scout, Order of the Arrow and Brotherhood Status; and

Be It Further Resolved that the Sonoma County Board of Supervisors appreciates the effort that went into achieving the rank of Eagle Scout, and anticipates that Stephen Bullard will have the heart and spirit of an Eagle throughout his adult life.

Supervisors:

Gorin:	Zane:	Gore:	Hopkins:	Rabbitt:
Ayes:	Noes:	Absent:	Abstain:	

So Ordered.