



County of Sonoma

State of California

Date: September 24, 2019

Item Number: TBD

Resolution Number: TBD

☐ 4/5 Vote Required

**Resolution Of The Board Of Supervisors Of The County Of Sonoma, State Of California,
Designating October 2019 as National Archives Month and Recognizing the First Sonoma
County Archives Crawl on October 5, 2019**

Whereas, on September 27, 1965, a resolution of the Board of Supervisors was adopted which designated the Sonoma County Library as the official Archive for the County of Sonoma; and

Whereas, on December 4, 1979, the Sonoma County Historical Records Commission was established by the Board of Supervisors with the intent that they foster and promote the preservation of historical records; and

Whereas, the Sonoma County Historical Records Commission and the Sonoma County Library have partnered to host the first ever Archives Crawl on Saturday, October 5, 2019 from 11:00 am to 4:00 pm in celebration of National Archives Month; and

Whereas, The Archives Crawl is intended to draw attention to the history of Sonoma County and the important records and archives that exist within Sonoma County and inform historians and researchers about the past; and

Whereas, The Archives Crawl will serve as an opportunity to learn from other organizations and share valuable resources with the public; and

Whereas, the event will highlight over 20 public, private, and governmental special collections and archives that exist within the County of Sonoma; and

Whereas, the event will include presentations by local historians, table displays of various special collection items, and a network of sites throughout the County that will simultaneously be allowing access to their collections; and

Whereas, it is important to recognize the history of Sonoma County and provide education and outreach regarding the preservation, conservation, and usage of historic records.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that the Sonoma County Board of Supervisors commends and recognizes the Sonoma County Historical Records Commission and the Sonoma County Library for their work on The Archives Crawl; and

Be It Further Resolved that the Sonoma County Board of Supervisors designates October 2019 as National Archives Month in Sonoma County.

Supervisors:

Gorin: Zane: Gore: Hopkins: Rabbitt:

Ayes: Noes: Absent: Abstain:

So Ordered.