

RESOLUTION  
*of*  
THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
MARIN COUNTY

COMMENDING  
RAPHAEL DURR

**WHEREAS**, Marin County Parks prioritizes equitable community access to its many outdoor facilities, visitor services, and employment opportunities resulting in improved health and wellbeing of Marin residents; and

**WHEREAS**, many organizations and individuals have generously partnered with Marin County Parks to increase equitable access to Marin's parks and public lands; and

**WHEREAS**, Marin County Parks is more successful at fulfilling its mission of providing recreational opportunities for the enjoyment of all generations because of the collaborative efforts of these partners; and

**WHEREAS**, Marin County Parks staff and the Board of Supervisors desires to recognize the exceptional contributions to equity by community partners; and

**WHEREAS**, Raphael Durr is vacating his seat on the Marin County Parks and Open Space Commission after four years of service. Mr. Durr has worked closely with Marin County Parks staff to improve services to underserved communities, including Marin City, and to develop equity initiatives to increase the diversity of both staff and park visitors; and

**WHEREAS**, Mr. Durr has been instrumental in shepherding efforts in Marin City to maintain the new George "Rocky" Graham Park, direct funding for physical activity programming and park outings, and promote local use of the new park through innovative community partnerships; and

**WHEREAS**, Marin County Parks serves the community in a more equitable manner because of the efforts of Mr. Durr.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Marin County Board of Supervisors and staff recognize Raphael Durr as an equity champion and applaud his contributions to improving access to county services and resources for everyone in our community.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** at a regular meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Marin held this 18th day of July 2017.

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JUDY ARNOLD – SUPERVISOR, DISTRICT 5 - PRESIDENT

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KATHRIN SEARS – SUPERVISOR, DISTRICT 3

