Resolution in Appreciation of Gail Wetzork
May 13, 2015

WHEREAS, Gail Wetzork was appointed to the Library Board of the Alameda Free Library on July 1, 2008, and was reappointed on July 5, 2011 and has served on this Board until May 13, 2015; and

WHEREAS, Gail has served two terms on the City of Alameda Recreation and Parks Commission and is a member and past President of the Friends of the Parks; and

WHEREAS, Gail has also served the City of Alameda as a member of the Economic Development Commission; and

WHEREAS, Gail has such a welcoming smile it is no wonder he is a valued member and past President of the Alameda Chamber of Commerce with deep historical knowledge of the Chamber and how the Chamber helped shape Alameda businesses; and

WHEREAS, Gail received a Varsity Letterman's jacket from the University of California Track Team as a middle distance runner and became a nationally certified track and field official, working a wide variety of events including the 1984 Olympics in Los Angeles and the 1996 Olympics in Atlanta, as well as numerous high school and collegiate events ; and

WHEREAS, Gail and his wife Mary, have volunteered in their community in many capacities and deserve quality time to enjoy travel and their life together; and

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved by the Board of the Alameda Free Library that the Board hereby expresses its thoughtful appreciation to Gail Wetzork for his quiet guidance and wise counsel as a member of the Library Board, and his support and assistance in the Neighborhood Library Improvement Project and the Library Strategic Plan and his contributions as a good citizen and consumer of cheese sticks; that the Board will miss Gail and that Board Members wish Gail good health and a long life filled with family and friends.

Catherine Atkin	**Suzanne Whyte**	**Nancy Lewis**
Library Board President	Library Board Vice President	Library Board Member

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