

**RESOLUTION 20-\_\_\_\_**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF FAIRFAX  
IN SUPPORT OF MEASURE C 'MARIN WILDFIRE PREVENTION AUTHORITY'  
ON THE MARCH 3, 2020 BALLOT**

**WHEREAS**, the Town of Fairfax, pursuant to Resolution 19-35, joined the Marin Wildfire Prevention Authority, a collective effort by Marin County residents and property owners to build a resilient community and reduce the threat of wildfire, including improving emergency alert and warning systems to enhance early alert for organized evacuations, expanding coordinated efforts to reduce combustible vegetation; improving evacuation routes and infrastructure to enhance traffic flow and promote safe evacuations; enhancing defensible space and structure evaluations and educating owners about how to reduce the vulnerability of buildings to wildfire; creating and sustaining a coordinated local wildfire public safety and disaster preparedness program; and

**WHEREAS**, the Marin Wildfire Prevention Authority will seek to address specific local needs with a local wildfire mitigation program that assists local fire agencies in meeting unique community needs while sustaining a core countywide program for consistency; and

**WHEREAS**, the Town requested that the County of Marin place a parcel tax measure on the March 3, 2020 ballot to fund protection of all Marin communities from the risk of wildfire on a regional basis through the Marin Wildfire Prevention Authority;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED** that the Town Council of the Town of Fairfax officially supports Measure C 'Marin Wildfire Prevention Authority' on the March 3, 2020, ballot.

The foregoing resolution was duly introduced and adopted at a regular meeting of the Town Council of the Town of Fairfax held in said Town on the 5th day of February 2020, by the following vote, to wit:

**AYES:**  
**NOES:**  
**ABSENT:**

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RENEE GODARD, Mayor

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Michele Gardner, Town Clerk