RESOLUTION 20-10 OF THE LOCAL AGENCY FORMATION COMMISSION OF SOLANO COUNTY HONORING COMMISSIONER SKIP THOMSON

WHEREAS, Commissioner Thomson was appointed to the Local Agency Formation Commission (LAFCO) of Solano County as a County Representative and served diligently from 1993 through 2002 and from 2013 through 2020; and,

WHEREAS, Commissioner Thomson presided as Chairman of Solano LAFCO from 1997 to 1998; and,

WHEREAS, Commissioner Thomson's leadership was instrumental in moving Solano LAFCO to independent status, separating from Solano County staffing on January 1, 2001; and,

WHEREAS, Commissioner Thomson participated in numerous complex and challenging projects heard before the Commission including: reorganization of the East Vallejo Fire Protection District; formation of the Rural North Vacaville Water District, Solano County's only County Service District; more than 50 annexations and reorganizations; and nearly 20 detachments; and,

WHEREAS, Commissioner Thomson exhibited his exemplary leadership through the changes and challenges of AB 2838 (Hertzberg, 2000) with patience and equanimity, and encouraged staff and local agencies in the subsequent preparation of Municipal Service Reviews and Spheres of Influence studies for the seven cities and 42 independent special districts under LAFCO's jurisdiction; and,

WHEREAS, Commissioner Thomson represented Solano LAFCO with distinction, considering the interest of all of Solano County's citizens and affected agencies, while serving on LAFCO committees and at numerous local, regional, and State meetings; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Local Agency Formation Commission of Solano County that Commissioner Skip Thomson is recognized and commended for his 16 years of service to this Agency and,

FURTHER, BE IT RESOLVED, that this Commission and its staff extend our best wishes to him in all his future endeavors.

December 14, 2020

Nancy J. Shopay, Chair Solano Local Agency Formation Commission

ATTEST:

Richard J. Seithel, LAFCO Executive Officer