

RESOLUTION 2024-01

East Bay Hills Regional Wildfire Prevention
and Coordination MOU

WHEREAS, the risk of catastrophic wildfire is growing due to changing conditions resulting in high winds and dry fuels; and

WHEREAS, wildfire's frequency and intensity demand regional wildfire prevention strategies and actions to keep residents safe; and

WHEREAS, wildfires are not bound by county, district, or city lines; and

WHEREAS, the Fire Protection board supports wildfire coordination among more than 20 municipalities, counties, and fire districts in the East Bay Hills to facilitate coordination of wildfire safety and prevention; and

WHEREAS, the regional fire chiefs have the opportunity to communicate and coordinate fire prevention efforts through the Hills Emergency Forum (HEF); and

WHEREAS, the MOU will allow elected officials to communicate and coordinate through an official public platform for regional wildfire prevention.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the board of the Kensington Fire Protection District that the Kensington Fire Protection District approves the Memorandum of Understanding for Coordination of Wildfire Prevention Activities to Protect the East Bay Hills in Alameda and Contra Costa Counties.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this resolution shall become effective immediately upon passage and adoption.

I CERTIFY that at a regular meeting on May 15, 2024 the Kensington Fire Protection District passed this Resolution by the following vote:

AYES: BOARDMEMBER:

NOES: BOARDMEMBER:

ABSTAIN: BOARDMEMBER:

ABSENT: BOARDMEMBER:

IN WITNESS of this action, I sign this document for the Kensington Fire Protection District_

Rina Ly, District Clerk

APPROVED:

Daniel Levine, Board President