

**Yolo County  
Board of Supervisors**

**Resolution No. 24-108**

*Celebrating and Honoring the 35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of  
Yolo Land Trust's "A Day in the Country"*

**WHEREAS**, the Yolo Land Trust, founded in 1988, has dedicated 36 years to the preservation of Yolo County's agricultural lands; and

**WHEREAS**, in over 35 years, the Yolo Land Trust has conserved 13,037 acres of land through 78 agricultural conservation easements; and

**WHEREAS**, the Yolo Land Trust was established with the mission to safeguard agricultural land, ensuring the continuation of our rural heritage, fostering healthy communities, preserving vital wildlife habitats, and bolstering the agricultural economy; and

**WHEREAS**, land conservation is essential for maintaining the balance between nature and community, contributing to a sustainable future; and

**WHEREAS**, "A Day in the Country" began 35 years ago in 1989 as an intimate gathering centered around wine and cheese, and has since evolved into a celebrated event; and

**WHEREAS**, "A Day in the Country" serves as a tribute to the abundant farmland of Yolo County, showcasing the symbiotic relationship between the fields that produce our food and the tables that nourish our community; and

**WHEREAS**, this event underscores the crucial role that farmland plays in sustaining both our community's well-being and its economic vitality and highlights the work the Yolo Land Trust is doing to conserve and protect Yolo County's prime farmland; and

**WHEREAS**, Yolo County's agricultural legacy not only provides fresh, locally grown food but also strengthens community ties by connecting people to the land and each other; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Yolo County Board of Supervisors hereby commends and congratulates the Yolo Land Trust on the 35<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of their "A Day in the Country" event, and greatly anticipates future gatherings to honor Yolo County's rich tradition of locally grown agriculture and the deep connection we share with the food that sustains us.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** this 27th day of August, 2024 by the following vote:

**AYES:** Vixie Sandy, Provenza, Barajas, Villegas, Frerichs.

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Lucas Frerichs, Chair  
Yolo County Board of Supervisors