RESOLUTION NO. 2020 - 2

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF THE NOVATO FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT
OF NOVATO, CALIFORNIA ACKNOWLEDGING RECEIPT OF A REPORT MADE BY
THE FIRE CHIEF OF NOVATO FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT REGARDING THE
INSPECTION OF CERTAIN OCCUPANCIES REQUIRED TO PERFORM ANNUAL
INSPECTIONS IN SUCH OCCUPANCIES PURSUANT TO SECTIONS 13146.2 AND
13146.3 OF THE CALIFORNIA HEALTH AND SAFETY CODE.

WHEREAS, California Health & Safety Code Section 13146.4 was added in 2018, and
became effective on September 27, 2018; and,

WHEREAS, California Health & Safety Code Sections 13146.2 and 13146.3 requires all
fire departments, including the Novato Fire Protection District, that provide fire protection services
to perform annual inspections in every building used as a public or private school, hotel, motel,
lodging house, apartment (3 units or greater), Institutional care facilities, such as hospitals and
skilled nursing facilities for compliance with building standards, as provided and,

WHEREAS, California Health & Safety Code Section 13146.2 requires all fire
departments, including the Novato Fire Protection District, that provide fire protection services to
report annually to its administering authority on its compliance with Sections 13146.2 and 13146.3
and,

WHEREAS, the Board of the Novato Fire Protection District intends this Resolution to
fulfill the requirements of the California Health & Safety Code regarding acknowledgment of the
Novato Fire Protection District’s compliance with California Health and Sections 13146.2 and
13146.3.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of the Novato Fire Protection
District that said Board expressly acknowledges the measure of compliance of the Novato Fire
Protection District with California Health and Safety Code Sections 13146.2 and 13146.3 in the
area encompassed by the Novato Fire Protection District, as follows:

A. EDUCATIONAL GROUP E OCCUPANCIES:
Educational Group E occupancies are generally those public and private schools, used by
more than six persons at any one time for educational purposes through the 12th grade.
Within the Novato Fire Protection District, there lie 51 Group E occupancies, buildings,
structures and/or facilities.
During calendar year 2019, the Novato Fire Protection District completed the annual
inspection of 48 Group E occupancies, buildings, structures and/or facilities. This is a compliance rate of 94% for this reporting period.

B. RESIDENTIAL GROUP R OCCUPANCIES:
Residential Group R occupancies, for the purposes of this resolution, are generally those occupancies containing sleeping units, and include hotels, motels, apartments (three units or more). Within the Novato Fire Protection District, there lie 314 Group R (269 Apartments, 4 Senior Apartments, and 6 Hotel/Motels, and 35 Residential care) occupancies of this nature.

During calendar year 2019, the Novato Fire Protection District completed the annual inspection of 260 Group R occupancies, buildings, structures and/or facilities. This is a compliance rate of 83% for this reporting period.

C. INSTITUTIONAL GROUP I CARE FACILITIES
Institutional Group I occupancies, for the purposes of this resolution, are generally those occupancies such as hospitals and skilled nursing facilities. Within the Novato Fire Protection District, there lie 5 Group I (1 Hospital, and 4 Skilled Nursing occupancies of this nature.

During calendar year 2019, the Novato Fire Protection District completed the annual inspection of 5 Group I occupancies, buildings, structures and/or facilities. This is a compliance rate of 100% for this reporting period.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Directors, Novato Fire Protection District, on the 8th day of January, 2020, by the following vote:

AYES: Ball, Mello, Davis, Goines, Silverman

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

President Louis Silverman

Attest:

Clerk of the Board, Jeanne Villa