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PRESS RELEASE

Supervisor shows guarded improvement

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PITTSBURG (Oct. 8) – Awake and fully aware, today Supervisor Federal Glover asked his chief of staff David Fraser for a debriefing about office and county matters, a strong sign of the supervisor's improving medical condition.

On Oct. 4, the District 5 supervisor was placed under sedation and moved to the Intensive Care Unit of the University of California-San Francisco Medical Center when his heartbeat increased. By Sunday (Oct. 7) afternoon, he was awake and responding to questions. He remains in the ICU where UCSF staff continue to monitor his condition.

Glover has been in the hospital for two weeks as doctors try to diagnose the ailment that gave him flu-like symptoms. He was admitted to the County Medical Health Center in Martinez on Sept. 23 and was transferred to UCSF Sept. 30.

Since his hospitalization, Glover's staff continues to do their work serving the residents of District V, which encompasses the communities of Antioch, Bay Point, Bethel Island, Oakley and Pittsburg.

"Much of what we accomplish for constituents can be addressed at the staff level," says David Fraser, Glover's chief of staff.

During the supervisor's stay in the hospital, his four-person staff have been attending meetings on his behalf in addition to their normal duties. In those meetings that require policy-making decisions, the county supervisors who are designated as his alternates, have been representing Contra Costa County.

Further medical tests for Glover are likely as his illness remains undiagnosed.