Resolution

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA RESOLUTION HONORING AND COMMENDING

Amy Buckmaster

As the Chamber San Mateo County 2023 Person of the Year

WHEREAS, Amy Buckmaster, President and CEO of the Chamber San Mateo County and Executive Director of the Redwood City Improvement Association (RCIA), has been chosen by Chamber San Mateo County to receive the 2023 "Person of the Year" Award; and

WHEREAS, Amy Buckmaster's impact on Chamber San Mateo County and the communities it serves is unmeasurable. Through her tenure, she was met with many challenges and opportunities, and never hesitated to take them on, pushing through and upward; and

WHEREAS, during the COVID-19 pandemic, through Amy Buckmaster's leadership, the Chamber worked around the clock to support the community and build new partnerships for those in desperate always looking for ways to save every business during that unprecedented and challenging time for small and family-owned businesses; and

WHEREAS, during the past 5 years, Amy Buckmaster successfully expanded and modernized Chamber San Mateo County with the recent transition of the San Carlos, Belmont, and Menlo Park Chambers of Commerce into Chamber San Mateo County, resulting in a regional business association focusing on the vitality and success of the County of San Mateo; and

WHEREAS, Amy Buckmaster is a mentor to many young, emerging leaders, expanding the Leadership Programs in Redwood City, Belmont, Menlo Park, and San Carlos, now in its 35th year, to allow for larger cohorts without students losing out on the intimacy of the program; and

WHEREAS, Amy Buckmaster involvement in the community is limitless. She serves as a member of the San Mateo County Union Community Alliance Board, the City of San Carlos Downtown Advisory Committee (DTAC), San Mateo County Event Center Board of Directors; Bay Ferry 2050 Business and Community Advisory Group Member, BUILD Up for San Mateo County Children's advisory group, Cañada College President's Advisory Committee, Ready Nation-Council for Strong America, and a member of the Chan Zuckerberg Initiative Redwood City Advisory

WHEREAS, Amy Buckmaster was named 2013 Business Woman of the Year sponsored by United American Bank and in 2016 named one of the San Francisco Business Times Influential Women.

NOW, therefore be it resolved that the Board of Supervisors of San Mateo County hereby honors and commends Amy Buckmaster for his dedicated service to the Chamber San Mateo County and to the greater San Mateo County community.

Dated: February 29, 2024

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