



THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA
PROCLAMATION DESIGNATING
MAY 3-9, 2026 AS

Correctional Officers and Correctional Employees Week

WHEREAS, in 1984, President Ronald Reagan proclaimed the week beginning May 6, 1984 as National **Correctional Officers Week** to recognize the vital services provided by those in the field of corrections; and

WHEREAS, it is essential to recognize all staff members serving in correctional facilities, security and civilian, as every member plays a critical role in the integrity of the corrections system; and

WHEREAS, **correctional officers and correctional employees** strengthen our justice system and enhance public safety while providing necessary support for individuals to make positive, rehabilitative life choices; and

WHEREAS, correctional health professionals provide essential medical and mental health care to individuals in custody, supporting public health and continuity of care; and

WHEREAS, the correctional staff of San Mateo County exemplify extraordinary dedication, professionalism, and integrity while operating within a demanding and often dangerous work environment; and

WHEREAS, these professionals provide a continuum of care through quality inmate programs and case management from incarceration to release, directly promoting public safety and enhancing lives within our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, hereby designates **May 3–9, 2026**, as **Correctional Officers and Correctional Employees Week**, and commends their dedicated service to the County's correctional facilities and the community at large.

Dated: May 5, 2026

ATTEST: _____
DEPUTY CLERK OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS