

**RESOLUTION NO.**

**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

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**RESOLUTION ACCEPTING THE OFFICE OF COMMUNITY AFFAIRS STRATEGIC PLAN AFFIRMING THE COUNTY OF SAN MATEO'S SUPPORT OF AND PARTNERSHIP WITH THE UNITED STATES CENSUS BUREAU IN ENSURING A COMPLETE AND ACCURATE COUNT FOR CENSUS 2020**

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**RESOLVED**, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, that

**WHEREAS**, the U.S. Census Bureau is required by Article 1, Section 2 of the United States Constitution to conduct an accurate count of the population every ten years; and

**WHEREAS**, census data helps determine how many seats each state will have in the U.S. House of Representatives and is often used for the redistricting of state legislatures, county and city councils and voting districts; and

**WHEREAS**, the County of San Mateo, in partnership with the State of California, other local governments, businesses and community organizations, is committed to ensuring every resident of San Mateo County is counted.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the San Mateo County Board of Supervisors supports participation in the Census 2020 and affirms its commitment to work collaboratively with the State Legislature, State Census Office and other stakeholders across the state designated census region to ensure maximum participation in the Census 2020; actively pursue funding from the State and elsewhere

to support outreach efforts; work with the cities and towns within the County, other local government agencies, community organizations and regional foundations, businesses, educational agencies, labor organizations and other groups to maximize Census 2020 participation; and implement an Outreach Plan that leverages county funding and builds on the efforts of others in order to achieve an accurate and complete census count.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that the County Manager or the County Manager's designee is authorized to apply, in the name of the County, for any grant or pursue other funds as available and participate in supporting other census-related efforts.

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