

# PROCLAMATION

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
PROCLAMATION DESIGNATING JUNE 2024 AS

## Immigrant Heritage Month

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**WHEREAS**, the United States is a tapestry woven from the vibrant threads of immigrants, and the County of San Mateo is exceptionally proud to be home to vital and diverse immigrant communities; and

**WHEREAS**, more than a third of San Mateo County residents are immigrants, who together speak more than one hundred languages and have migrated from all over the world to make a home here; and

**WHEREAS**, the County of San Mateo values all its residents, embracing all nationalities, ethnicities, and linguistic backgrounds, regardless of immigration status, and has been recognized as a Certified Welcoming Place; and

**WHEREAS**, immigrants make crucial contributions to the cultural, social, and economic fabric of our community and immigrants are essential to San Mateo County's workforce and economic success; and

**WHEREAS**, in an increasingly interconnected world, our County and our Nation have long and proud histories as beacons of freedom and opportunity for immigrants; and

**WHEREAS**, the County recognizes that its strength lies in its diversity, and its ability to envelop people from different backgrounds and create a society that celebrates multiculturalism; and

**WHEREAS**, the County stands with immigrants' families and is committed to meeting this moment with compassion, humanity and smart policies, as a leader in equity and immigrant inclusion; and

**WHEREAS**, this month, we celebrate the ways that our County is enriched by people from all different backgrounds and recommit to ensuring the promise of opportunity for all to thrive for generations to come; and

**WHEREAS**, this Board wishes to recognize and celebrate Immigrant Heritage Month, honoring the rich contributions that immigrants and their descendants have made to our shared history and culture.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED** that the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, hereby designates June 2024 as Immigrant Heritage Month in San Mateo County.

**DATED: June 11, 2024**

**SUPERVISORS:**

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WARREN SLOCUM, PRESIDENT

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Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Clerk of the Board of Supervisors