

# RESOLUTION

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

## PACIFIC BEACH COALITION

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**WHEREAS**, the **Pacific Beach Coalition** has been engaging volunteers since 1997 with the mission of an organized and consistent approach to cleaning beaches and creeks through volunteer-power to protect and maintain a healthy coastal ecosystem and environment for residents, visitors, and wildlife; and

**WHEREAS**, the **Pacific Beach Coalition** began in Pacifica, but expanded to Daly City in 2007, Pillar Point in 2013, Montara in 2014, Foster City in 2022, and continues to look for opportunities to expand scope and activities to protect bayside and coastside beaches throughout San Mateo County; and

**WHEREAS**, the **Pacific Beach Coalition** has engaged over 12,000 volunteers, removed 44,813 pounds of trash and recyclables, diverted 234,117 cigarette filters from contaminating ocean waters, removed over nine tons of weeds, mulched over two acres of coastal trail, and planted 727 native plants on the Coastal Trail in 2023 alone; and

**WHEREAS**, the **Pacific Beach Coalition**, in addition to improving the local ecosystem through action, also provides a robust education program with the general community and through schools, teaching the importance of reducing, reusing, recycling and proper disposal, and the human impact to the coastal environment, to foster the next generation of environmental leaders and protect the future of San Mateo County's coastline; and

**WHEREAS**, the **Pacific Beach Coalition** has been named Nonprofit of the Year by Assemblymember Marc Berman for Assembly District #23 in honor of California Nonprofits Day on June 5<sup>th</sup>, 2024, in coordination with the California Association of Nonprofits (CalNonprofits) whose mission is to celebrate nonprofits and the contributions made throughout the state of California.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, hereby commends the **Pacific Beach Coalition** and, on behalf of all residents, expresses sincere congratulations and appreciation for its contributions to the people and land of San Mateo County.

*Dated: August 13, 2024*

*Supervisors:*

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*Warren Slocum, President*

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*Dave Pine*

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*Noelia Corzo*

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*Ray Mueller*

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*David J. Canepa*

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*Attest: Deputy Clerk of the Board of Supervisors*