

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

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*Al Adreveno*  
*2023 Veteran of the Year*

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*WHEREAS, Al Adreveno is being honored as the recipient of the 2023 Veteran of the Year award by the San Mateo County Veterans Commission for his dedication to veterans and veteran causes; and*

*WHEREAS, Al Adreveno is the embodiment of duty and service – he is a veteran of the U.S. Army, where he served honorably in the Army Corps of Engineers during World War II as part of an elite team in the Phillipines and the invasion of Okinawa; and*

*WHEREAS, Al Adreveno grew up on a farm in Colma at the height of the Great Depression attending local schools and graduating from San Mateo Junior College in 1943, and after his service in the Army, Al Adreveno returned to his agricultural roots, becoming involved in the flower-growing business and the owner of Daylight Farms; and*

*WHEREAS, Al Adreveno has been a stalwart member of the Half Moon Bay community for over 70 years, serving on the City Council and as mayor, the Coastside County Water District, the County Farm Bureau, the Half Moon Bay Chamber of Commerce, Northern California Flower Growers & Shippers Association, California State Association of Florists, Our Lady of the Pillar Parish Council, Knights of Columbus and providing countless contributions to the community; and*

*WHEREAS, Al Adreveno has provided countless contributions to his beloved community and at the age of 100, continues to do so.*

*NOW, therefore be it resolved that the Board of Supervisors of San Mateo County hereby honors and commends Al Adreveno, for receiving the 2023 Veteran of the Year Award for making an immeasurable impact on the lives of veterans and their families in San Mateo County.*

*Dated: November 9, 2023*

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Deputy Clerk of the Board of Supervisors