

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

The San Mateo Garden Center

On the occasion of its 50th anniversary

WHEREAS, the **San Mateo Garden Center**, founded in 1975, has served as a treasured community gathering place for half a century, providing a home for garden clubs, horticultural education, and the advancement of environmental stewardship in San Mateo County; and

WHEREAS, for 50 years, the San Mateo Garden Center has fostered a love of gardening and the natural environment, inspiring countless residents of all ages to engage in sustainable practices, cultivate green spaces, and protect our shared ecosystem; and

WHEREAS, the San Mateo Garden Center has provided a welcoming space for local garden clubs and organizations, strengthening civic engagement, volunteerism, and community spirit while promoting the beauty and benefits of nature; and

WHEREAS, the San Mateo Garden Center has partnered with schools, civic groups, and cultural organizations to enrich the lives of residents, advance environmental awareness, and preserve the legacy of gardening as both an art and a science; and

WHEREAS, the San Mateo Garden Center has served as a vibrant hub for lectures, workshops, flower shows, and plant sales, expanding horticultural knowledge while raising awareness of California's unique natural resources; and

WHEREAS, throughout its 50 years of service, the San Mateo Garden Center has remained a symbol of community pride and resilience, adapting to changing times while remaining steadfast in its mission to connect people with nature.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, hereby honors and congratulates the **San Mateo Garden Center** on the joyous occasion of its 50th anniversary, honors its invaluable contributions to the cultural and environmental fabric of our community, and extends best wishes for continued growth and success in the years to come.

SUPERVISORS:

Dated: November 2, 2025

DAVID J. CANEPA, PRESIDENT JACKIE SPEIER NOELIA CORZO RAY MUELLER LISA GAUTHIER