

RESOLUTION

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

Martha Poyatos

For 28 years of distinguished service to San Mateo County

WHEREAS, Martha Poyatos will be retiring on December 30, 2021, after 28 years of distinguished service; and

WHEREAS, Martha Poyatos began her career with LAFCo of San Mateo County as the Clerk to the Commission in 1993, promoted to Administrative Analyst in 1995, and was later appointed as the Executive Officer of San Mateo LAFCo in 2000; and

WHEREAS, Martha Poyatos has successfully worked on a number of complex and controversial proposals and studies, including the multi-year effort to dissolve the Los Trancos County Water District; the reorganization of the Granada Community Services District; the consolidation of Half Moon Bay Fire Protection and Point Montara Fire Protection Districts; several challenging annexations, including the Midpeninsula Regional Open Space District annexation of coastside lands; and Municipal Service Reviews and Sphere of Influence Updates for the San Mateo County Harbor District and the North County Cities and Special Districts; and

WHEREAS, as Executive Officer of LAFCo of San Mateo County, **Martha Poyatos** has brought grace, determination, and kindness to the office. She has always been willing to lend a hand, whether it be serving as the County's 2000 Census Outreach Coordinator, working with the County on budget solutions during the Great Recession, or bringing a delicious homemade baked good to staff meetings; and

WHEREAS, Martha Poyatos will be fondly remembered for the expertise and knowledge she patiently shared with those she worked with from staff, to citizens, to Commissioners, other local government staff, and other elected officials; and

WHEREAS, Martha Poyatos was actively involved in CALAFCO serving as Deputy Executive Officer representing the coastal region for the last four years. She was also recognized by CALAFCO in 2009 with an achievement award for Outstanding LAFCO Professional.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, hereby honors **Martha Poyatos**, and commends her dedicated service to San Mateo County and wishes her a long and happy retirement.

Dated: December 5, 2021

SUPERVISORS:

DAVID J. CANEPA, PRESIDENT

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Deputy Clerk of the Board of Supervisors