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

HIP Housing

on its

50th Anniversary

WHEREAS, HIP Housing (Human Investment Project, Inc.) is a non-profit organization of professionals and members of the local San Mateo County business and healthcare communities dedicated to enabling people with special needs, either from income or circumstance, to live independent, self-sufficient lives in decent, safe, low-cost homes; and

WHEREAS, to achieve their mission, HIP Housing runs the Home Sharing, Self-Sufficiency, and Property Development programs; and

WHEREAS, through Home Sharing, HIP Housing provides a practical solution to housing challenges by matching individuals seeking housing with people who have a room or Accessory Dwelling Unit (ADU) to rent, and has matched 17,182 individuals through this program; and

WHEREAS, through the Self Sufficiency Program (SSP), HIP Housing has supported 653 households by providing housing assistance and support services to low-income parents or emancipated foster youth who are in school to increase their earning power and become financially self-sufficient within 1-5 years by subsidizing rent and providing monthly support and resources, including workshops on parenting and money management and referrals to affordable housing opportunities; and

WHEREAS, through Property Development, HIP Housing preserves and expands the amount of available affordable rental housing in San Mateo County by leveraging cross sector partnerships to acquire and create housing, and 11,368 tenants have resided at HIP-owned or managed properties; and

WHEREAS, 2022 marks the 50th year anniversary of the founding of HIP Housing, which is committed to ensuring that there is a broad spectrum of affordable housing solutions for low-income individuals and families facing displacement and homelessness in San Mateo County, enabling more than 1,400 low-income individuals to find, or remain in, stable and affordable housing each year.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, hereby congratulates HIP Housing on its 50th Anniversary and extends its best wishes for HIP Housing's continued success in providing accessible and affordable housing solutions for individuals and families with special needs.

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