

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

***Peninsula Volunteers Inc.  
75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary***

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***WHEREAS, Peninsula Volunteers, Inc. began in 1947 when founder Beth Kuechler rallied a group of passionate women to create Peninsula Volunteers, and***

***WHEREAS, PVI's first project was Stanford Day Care Nursery, in cooperation with Stanford University, which exists to this day, and***

***WHEREAS, PVI then shifted towards education, creating scholarship programs for a variety of universities until 1981, and***

***WHEREAS, now, PVI is committed to senior care and providing innovative services to meet the needs of older adults, fulfilling its mission to enable seniors to age in place, with support in their homes, including a wide range of life-affirming activities such as social events, an adult day center, rideshare services, Meals on Wheels, and affordable housing; and***

***WHEREAS, PVI serves seniors with a variety of backgrounds, circumstances and needs who are possibly recovering from hospitalizations, have disabilities, living with age-related illness, have low income or below poverty level lives; and***

***WHEREAS, PVI offers connections and opportunities for seniors to engage with others in meaningful, enjoyable and life-affirming ways.***

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the San Mateo County Board of Supervisors recognizes the contribution of Peninsula Volunteers, Inc. to the quality of life for seniors in the area and congratulates the organization on its 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, celebrating that anniversary on September 22, 2022.***

***Dated: September 13, 2022***