

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

**NAACP SAN MATEO BRANCH #1068**

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*WHEREAS, the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) is a non-profit organization formed in 1909 by a multiracial group of progressive leaders, partially in response to the ongoing violence against African Americans around the country; and,*

*WHEREAS, the NAACP has as its mission to secure the political, educational, social, and economic equality of rights in order to eliminate race-based discrimination and ensure the health and well-being of all persons; and,*

*WHEREAS, as the nation's oldest and largest civil rights organization, the NAACP has worked successfully with allies of all races who believe in and work for racial justice, and throughout its history, some of America's greatest minds have worked to end racial inequality; and,*

*WHEREAS, from continuing its legacy of winning legal landmarks for civil rights to advancing economic empowerment initiatives to ensuring equitable education for disadvantaged students, the NAACP has leveraged its power to define, demand, and defend equality; and*

*WHEREAS, the NAACP San Mateo Branch celebrates its 97<sup>th</sup> Annual Celebration on March 12, 2023, at the Herby Dawkins Freedom Fund Gala in Foster City, California;*

*NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, hereby commends the NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF COLORED PEOPLE (NAACP), SAN MATEO BRANCH #1068 on the occasion of its 97<sup>th</sup> Annual Celebration and, on behalf of all residents, expresses sincere appreciation to this organization for its numerous achievements and contributions to the County of San Mateo.*

*Dated: March 12, 2023*

SUPERVISORS:

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DAVE PINE, PRESIDENT

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DAVID J. CANEPA

Attest: \_\_\_\_\_  
*Deputy Clerk of the Board of Supervisors*