

Resolution

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

Srija Srinivasan

Upon her retirement as
Deputy County Health Chief, Health Administration

WHEREAS, SRIJA SRINIVASAN’s tenure in the County directly contributed to several decades of dramatic improvements in health coverage for tens of thousands of low-income residents through the Blue Ribbon Task Force, the Children’s Health Initiative, Medi-Cal expansions, the Low-Income Health Program, the County Access to Care for Everyone (ACE) program, the Affordable Care Act, Covered California and partnerships with the Health Plan of San Mateo; and

WHEREAS, SRIJA SRINIVASAN’s talent for enlisting others in designing better ways led to many improvements in the experience our residents have in accessing health coverage through the adept and able Health Coverage Unit, including the use of One E-App and development of coalitions of community partners enlisted to participate in outreach and enrollment activities; and

WHEREAS, SRIJA SRINIVASAN’s commitment to addressing underlying structural barriers to equitable opportunities for good health for all residents led to engagement in the Government Alliance for Racial Equity (GARE) and development of the Health Racial Equity Action Plan, investments in Public Health policy and health equity initiatives that took shape through Get Healthy San Mateo County, support for increasing evidence based practices for children 0-5 and improvements in access to holistic coordinated care for children in California Children Services; and

WHEREAS, SRIJA SRINIVASAN’s leadership and partnerships across the health sector and beyond were pivotal in mobilizing the County’s outstanding coordinated emergency response to the COVID-19 global pandemic as each phase unfolded in San Mateo County; and

WHEREAS, SRIJA SRINIVASAN’s kindness and caring nature even during the most challenging weeks will always be remembered, including the way she found the presence of mind and humanity to end every Friday meeting during the COVID-19 pandemic with the question: “Is there anything we could do today that would increase our chances for a restorative weekend?”

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, hereby honors and commends SRIJA SRINIVASAN for her outstanding public service to the residents of San Mateo County, and joins all her colleagues, partners and staff in their immense gratitude for her contributions to improving the health of San Mateo County residents and living in the full spirit of All Together Better.

Dated: May 9, 2023

SUPERVISORS:

DAVE PINE, President

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Attest: _____
Deputy Clerk of the Board of Supervisors