

PROCLAMATION

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA
PROCLAMATION DESIGNATING NOVEMBER 12-18, 2023

United Against Hate Week

WHEREAS, the United States is a nation of immigrants, whose strength comes from its diversity; and

WHEREAS, the County of San Mateo is home to people of all backgrounds, including those who were not born in the United States, but now call it home; and

WHEREAS, the County of San Mateo wants to assure its residents and visitors that our community welcomes and celebrates diversity, inclusion, and belonging; and

WHEREAS, the County of San Mateo rejects hatred, prejudice, racism, sexism, bigotry, bullying, or violence of any manner toward any individual regardless of race, ethnicity, disability, gender identity, sexual orientation, religion, socioeconomic status, ancestry, immigration status or country of birth; and

WHEREAS, the County of San Mateo rejects efforts to intimidate, threaten, or marginalize any members of the community; and

WHEREAS, education, compassion, and cooperation are key to unlocking understanding and embracing differences between people; and

WHEREAS, this Board wishes to join other cities, counties, and municipalities in the Bay Area and the rest of the nation in recognizing **United Against Hate Week** as an important reminder to support welcoming and inclusive practices that aim to unite the community and celebrate the diversity within the County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, hereby designates November 12 to 18, 2023 as United Against Hate Week in San Mateo County.

Dated: November 14, 2023

SUPERVISORS:

DAVE PINE, PRESIDENT

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WARREN SLOCUM

DAVID J. CANEPA

Attest: _____
Deputy Clerk of the Board of Supervisors