## RESOLUTION

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA RESOLUTION HONORS AND COMMENDS

## KAREN CHEE

2012 Young Women of Excellence Recipient

WHEREAS, KAREN CHEE joined the San Mateo County Youth Commission in the Fall of 2011 and with her infectious humor, friendly nature, inquiring mind and insightful suggestions, she quickly became an invaluable asset to the team which recognized her by electing her as Co-Secretary for the year; and

WHEREAS, KAREN CHEE has a passion in life for the use of humor to lift the spirits of those around her and has demonstrated this passion by founding and running the improv team at her high school; and

WHEREAS, KAREN CHEE organized, on her own, a highly successful Laugh-A-Thon fundraiser for Samaritan House, which comprised of a full day of comedy and required her finding the location for the event, gaining the approval of the Foster City Mayor, hiring professional comedians, arranging for her improv team's participation, enlisting help for food and beverage sales and procuring monetary and in-kind donations of sponsorship; and

WHEREAS, in addition to her participation on the San Mateo County Youth Commission, KAREN CHEE sits as a Youth Commissioner on the San Mateo County Arts Commission, is President of her high school class, Vice Chair of the Foster City Youth Advisory Committee, Club President of the San Mateo Chapter of the Junior Statesmen of America, Founder and President of the San Mateo High School Creative Math Club, member of the Union Associated Student Body Representative of San Mateo High School, Political Cartoonist for San Mateo High School, and she volunteers at the Bay Area Theatre Sports Improv Company, the Canaan Global Leadership Center and, as an Acolyte, visits elders in their homes; and

WHEREAS, KAREN CHEE is an excellent student having achieved a 4.83 GPA while taking eight AP classes, including an AP Calculus class in her Freshman year,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, hereby commends KAREN CHEE, 2012 Young Women of Excellence Recipient, for her exemplary leadership and commitment to the community of San Mateo County.

Dated: March 22, 2012

SUPERVISORS:

DAVE PINE

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## ADRIENNE J. TISSIER



Attest:

Deputy Clerk of the Board of Supervisors