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

## Jeremy Smith

WHEREAS, JEREMY SMITH is the recipient of the 2012 Sequoia Award as an "Outstanding Student" for his service and contributions to the community; and

WHEREAS, JEREMY SMITH has logged over 1300 volunteer hours including work close to home at the Hearts and Hands Camp at Developmental Pathways, tutoring students at Sequoia's AVID program for first-generation college-bound students, and organizing events for the American Cancer Society's Relay for Life, and far from home in Ecuador helping revive a rural community through youth empowerment, educational camps, and community development efforts; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his volunteer experience, JEREMY SMITH is an exceptional student and athlete, and has won recognition for his spirit, his intellectual curiosity and his ability and motivation for art, and has also served as Vice President of the freshman class and Commission of Shadowing for Sequoia High School; and

WHEREAS, through his volunteer efforts JEREMY SMITH has recognized that these efforts are an exchange, that the volunteer often learns as much from the experience as the individuals who are the focus of the volunteerism, and that the spread of knowledge and compassion is a reward unto itself.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of San Mateo County hereby honors and commends JEREMY SMITH upon being named the 2012 Sequoia Award "Outstanding Student," and thanks him for his continuing service to the community.

Dated: March 7, 2013

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