## Resolution

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

## VALOR GAMES FAR WEST

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WHEREAS, the Valor Games were established in 2011 by World Sport Chicago in partnership with U.S. Paralympics and Veterans Affairs to provide sports competition for Veterans and service members with a physical disability and to promote sports at the community level; and

WHEREAS, the Valor Games Far West represents one of four regions where the Valor Games are being held nationwide and reflects an expansion from the original Valor Games Midwest located in Chicago; and

WHEREAS, the inaugural Valor Games Far West will take place in the Bay Area and engage approximately 100 local Veterans; and

WHEREAS, the Valor Games seeks to introduce adapted sports to Veterans with disabilities and attendees, in addition to engaging Veterans in ongoing sports opportunities, healthier lifestyles and in their community;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, hereby commends the VALOR GAMES FAR WEST, on its inaugural year in the Bay Area and on behalf of all residents expresses sincere appreciation to U.S. Paralympics, Veterans Affairs, and the Far West Wheelchair Athletic Association for their ongoing support of Veterans through the Valor Games.

Dated: June 11, 2013

SUPERVISORS:

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