RESOLUTION

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

Deborah Torres

WHEREAS, Deborah Torres began her career as a psychiatric social worker with the State of California in 1977 and then she joined San Mateo County in 1986; and

WHEREAS, Deborah Torres served diligently as Supervising Mental Health Clinician until being promoted to Clinical Services Manager in 1994, her new duties included administering several programs in Child and Youth System of Care, serving as consultant to Central Access Team, and managing Ethnic Services; and

WHEREAS, in 1999, Deborah Torres was promoted to Deputy Director Children and Family Services, where she oversaw child and youth mental health services and contracts for mental health services; and

WHEREAS, due to her commitment to the community, Deborah Torres was appointed as the Director of Collaborative Community Outcomes within the Human Services Agency where she oversees several programs including Center on Homelessness, Re-Entry Services, Child Care Services, Veterans Services, Children's Fund, Fatherhood Collaborative, Day Worker Program and interfaces with the community on several initiatives; and

WHEREAS, Deborah Torres showed her exemplary leadership skills during the Hallmark Apartment fire by providing critical assistance to over 80 fire victims that were in need of shelter, food and medical care.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of San Mateo County hereby honors **Deborah Torres**. We commend your compassion to the people of San Mateo County and your 36 years of outstanding public service career that demonstrates her commitment to ensuring that children, adults, families and communities receive the needed services to improve their well being.

Dated: September 10, 2013

SUPERVISORS:

DON HORSLEY, PRESIDENT	
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Attest: