

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA DESIGNATING JULY 26, 2013 AS

CONGRESS OF RUSSIAN AMERICANS DAY

In Celebration of its 40th Anniversary

WHEREAS, the Congress of Russian Americans will celebrate its 40th Anniversary on July 26, 2013, with an all-day conference followed by a gala banquet; and

WHEREAS, the Congress of Russian Americans was founded in 1973 by a group of concerned Russian Americans and is a national organization with chapters in all major cities throughout the United States; and

WHEREAS, the Congress of Russian Americans strives to preserve the Russian spiritual and cultural heritage in the United States, and honors outstanding Russian Americans by inducting them into the Russian Americans Hall of Fame, and provides humanitarian aid and technical assistance to Russia; and

WHEREAS, the Congress of Russian Americans maintains working relationships with local, state and federal authorities and presents views of its membership and the Russian American community at large.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, hereby designates July 26, 2013 as Congress of Russian Americans Day in celebration of its 40th Anniversary and in recognition of its work on behalf of the Russian American community.

Dated: July 26, 2013

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