

## **COUNTY OF SAN MATEO**

Inter-Departmental Correspondence County Manager



**Date:** May 12, 2014

Board Meeting Date: June 3, 2014

Special Notice / Hearing: None Vote Required: Majority

**To:** Honorable Board of Supervisors

From: John L. Maltbie, County Manager

Subject: Employee of the Month for June 2014

## **RECOMMENDATION:**

Honor Bryan Albini as Employee of the Month for June 2014 and authorize the President of the Board to sign the commendation

## **BACKGROUND**:

The Employee of the Month program was established in December 1984 to recognize and honor County employees who consistently demonstrate an outstanding level of performance.

Our Employee of the Month for June 2014 is Bryan Albini, Senior Graphics Specialist, in the Planning and Building Department.

## **DISCUSSION**:

Bryan Albini started working for the County as a Graphics Specialist in 2010 and promoted to Senior Graphics Specialist in 2012. Recently, Bryan's expertise in graphics and planning was critical in the success of the North Fair Oaks Forward Community Meeting. He became a key member of the North Fair Oaks Forward Outreach Team, which was challenged to educate the community about redesign options for Middlefield Road and get community feedback.

Bryan's outstanding creativity sparked the "sandbox" idea of utilizing an interactive 3D model with movable pieces to demonstrate the various scenarios of the Middlefield Road redesign. He developed presentation boards and an interactive street scape model that helped community residents understand both options and constraints for the redesign. The graphics helped residents become informed "voters" when they were asked to select their preferred alternative. In addition to his graphic skills, Bryan also served as a key bilingual presenter at meetings, staffed a station and assisted Spanish

speaking guests. Bryan's many contributions played a huge part in the success of the community outreach process.

Our County is fortunate to have Bryan Albini as one of its outstanding employees.