

RESOLUTION

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

Tara Fowler

***As Redwood City-San Mateo County Chamber of Commerce's
2014 "Business Woman of the Year"***

WHEREAS, *Tara Fowler* has been chosen by the Redwood City – San Mateo County Chamber of Commerce to receive the 2014 "Business Woman of the Year" Award as a woman who lends her invaluable business expertise to the local community for the purpose of stimulating and enhancing the quality of life, for demonstrating excellence, creativity and initiative in her business, and for assisting other women, no matter their background, to reach their professional potential within the business community; and

WHEREAS, *Tara Fowler*, a Senior Financial Advisor and Assistant Vice President with Merrill Lynch, has 9 years of industry experience and has earned her Certified Financial Planner and Chartered Retirement Planning Counselor designations from the Certified Board of Standards; and

WHEREAS, *Tara Fowler* has long been active in her community and is a graduate of the Chamber's Leadership Program, an active member of the Chamber and SAMCEDA, has served on the Board of Directors of the Sequoia Awards for six years, been involved in the Kainos Home and Training Center for 10 years and serves on the auxiliary Board for their Annual Fashion Show; and

WHEREAS, *Tara Fowler*, a single mother who has imparted upon her daughters the importance of community service, has served on the Board of Peninsula Equity Network which promotes LGBT owned/friendly businesses on the Peninsula, hosted the Salvation Army breakfast at her home for the past 3 years and continues to work with kids to provide scholarships with financial education programs for the Young Dreamers Network; and

NOW, therefore be it resolved that the Board of Supervisors of San Mateo County hereby honors and commends ***Tara Fowler*** for her dedicated service to the Redwood City - San Mateo County Chamber of Commerce, for being a positive influence and force for all of San Mateo County.

Dated: February 6, 2015

SUPERVISORS:

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Attest:

Deputy Clerk of the Board of Supervisors