

Resolution

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

Beverly Beasley Johnson

Upon Her Retirement as Agency Director of the
San Mateo County Human Services Agency

WHEREAS, Beverly Beasley Johnson began her public service career 38 years ago with the State of Michigan as a Social Worker, Supervisor, Manager, and Administrator of Public Welfare and Human Services for the Michigan Family Independence Agency; and

WHEREAS, Beverly Beasley Johnson was promoted to serve as Chief Deputy Director of the Michigan Department of Civil Rights where she was responsible for overseeing the daily management of the department's investigation, settlement and litigation of complaints of unlawful discrimination; and

WHEREAS, in 2002, Beverly Beasley Johnson accepted the position as Agency Director of Kern County's Department of Human Services and served in that role until 2006; and

WHEREAS, in 2006, Beverly Beasley Johnson was appointed the Agency Director of San Mateo County's Human Services Agency; and

WHEREAS, under Beverly's leadership, the Human Services Agency became the first public agency in California to receive accreditation by the nationally recognized Council on Accreditation, created the award winning Service Connect program in partnership with the Probation Department and the Health System to provide critical re-entry services to formerly incarcerated residents, and also collaborated with Code for America and the Philanthropic Ventures Foundation to leverage technology to connect residents to valuable social services and programs; and

WHEREAS, under Beverly's leadership, the Human Services Agency was prepared to enroll residents to newly available health insurance plans under the Affordable Care Act.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, hereby honors Beverly Beasley Johnson on her retirement, and commends her dedication and compassion to the people of San Mateo County and her 38 years of outstanding public service helping children, families, and adults.

Dated: January 10, 2014

SUPERVISORS:

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Attest:

Deputy Clerk of the Board of Supervisors