

RESOLUTION

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

RENEE ZIMMERMAN for her service as Coordinator of the **Children's Collaborative Action Team**

WHEREAS, the Children's Collaborative Action Team (CCAT) served as San Mateo County's Child Abuse Prevention Council, and RENEE ZIMMERMAN lead that collaborative of more than thirty agencies and non-profits, serving as joint primary liaison to the San Mateo County Board of Supervisors, Human Services Agency and Child Death Review Team; and

WHEREAS, RENEE ZIMMERMAN has maintained a commitment and interest in providing this important work to coordinate child abuse prevention services for the benefit of the children and families in San Mateo County for over eleven years, first as co-chair (2005-2007) and then as Coordinator (2007 to 2016) overseeing the work of the Child Abuse Prevention Council (then known as CCAT); and

WHEREAS, RENEE ZIMMERMAN was accountable for budget oversight, contract and grant management, pass-through funding and successful execution of strategic initiatives and annual plans, and had extensive interaction with community-based organizations and county government; and

WHEREAS, in 2013, under RENEE ZIMMERMAN's leadership, CCAT launched the county-wide child abuse prevention initiative called Enough Abuse, a child sexual abuse prevention campaign that was part of the larger Bay Area wide collaborative implemented over two years; and

WHEREAS, the core mission of CCAT is to provide prevention resources; coordinate monthly forums for inter-agency cooperation and collaboration around community response to child abuse and neglect; increasing public awareness about child abuse and neglect through education and outreach; and support a unified voice for advocacy and influence of public policy on prevention services.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, hereby honors and commends RENEE ZIMMERMAN, for her dedicated service to the Children's Collaborative Action Team and Child Abuse Prevention Council from 2005-2016.

Dated: April 25, 2017

SUPERVISORS:

DON HORSLEY, PRESIDENT

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Attest:

Deputy Clerk of the Board of Supervisors