

# RESOLUTION

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

## ***Dr. Robert Bell***

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**WHEREAS**, Dr. Robert “Bob” Bell has over 20 years of management and human resources experience in both the private and public sector, and is now retiring from public service; and

**WHEREAS**, Bob Bell received a Bachelor’s degree in Organizational Behavior from the University of San Francisco, a Master’s degree in Public Administration from Cal State Northridge, a Ph.D. in Organizational Leadership from the University of San Francisco; and

**WHEREAS**, Bob Bell has been an extraordinary presence in the management and administration of Redwood City since 2005, serving as Human Resources Director, Assistant City Manager, Interim City Manager and finally, beginning in April 2011, as City Manager; and

**WHEREAS**, Bob Bell, as Assistant City Manager, took over the management of the City’s Human Resources Department in 2005 where he and his staff began to expand the City’s efforts in workforce planning, succession planning, and development initiatives; and

**WHEREAS**, Bob Bell, as City Manager, led Redwood City out of its worst economic downturn in decades and implemented the City Council’s vision for economic growth and financial solvency and revitalization, working side by side with the City Council, labor groups, employees and residents; and

**WHEREAS**, Bob Bell believes and embodies the idea that Redwood City’s core purpose is building a great city by engaging the community to design its future, such as was done in creating the Downtown Precise Plan and the Climate Action Plan; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, hereby express their appreciation to Dr. Robert Bell on the occasion of his retirement as Redwood City Manager and in honor of his distinguished and prominent service to the community, and with our sincere wishes that he continue his involvement in our community a greater place.

***Dated: June 20, 2015***

***SUPERVISORS:***

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*Attest:* \_\_\_\_\_  
*Deputy Clerk of the Board of Supervisors*