

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA PROCLAMATION DESIGNATING OCTOBER 2018 AS

DIVERSITY WORKFORCE MONTH CELEBRATING THE EXPERIENCED WORKER

PROCLAIMED, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, that

WHEREAS, since 2010, Phase2Careers has been serving the "Over 40" professionals and the employers that serve them in the San Francisco Bay Area by assisting with new job searches, career exploration, and career advancement; and

WHEREAS, the mission of Phase2Careers is to prepare and empower the "Over 40" worker for career opportunities in the new economy by providing employment roundtables, job search review panels, employer forums and career industry panels, career fairs and mixers, and career assessment; and

WHEREAS, each October, Phase2Careers holds special events and activities that bring attention to the value of hiring "Over 40" professionals and requests a proclamation from the San Mateo County Board of Supervisors highlighting the year's theme; and

WHEREAS, the October 2018 theme is, "DIVERSITY WORKFORCE MONTH, Celebrating the Experienced Worker;" and

WHEREAS, events and activities for **DIVERSITY WORKFORCE MONTH** will include a Diversity Career Fair on October 3rd; a Professional Women Returning to Work Forum and Networking on October 9th; the fourth annual Phase2Careers Diversity Awards Breakfast on October 19th; a Peninsula Recruitment Mixer on October 24th; and an Issues, Solutions, and Resources for the Experienced Worker Conference on October 30th,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Board of Supervisors of San Mateo County designates **October 2018 DIVERSITY WORKFORCE MONTH**, Celebrating the Experienced Worker, and commends Phase2Careers for it efforts in assisting "Over 40" workers with events, programs, and activities for finding success in the new economy.

Dated: October 2, 2018

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