

Proclamation

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA
PROCLAIMS *May 2020 as*

Military Appreciation Month

WHEREAS, National Military Appreciation Month is celebrated every May that honors the current and former members of the U.S. Armed Forces, including those who have died in the pursuit of freedom; and

WHEREAS, during Military Appreciation Month, we are reminded of the important role the U.S. Armed Forces have played in the history and development of our country and since our Nation's earliest days, the courageous men and women of all backgrounds and beliefs who have banded together to fight for the freedoms we cherish; and

WHEREAS, during Military Appreciation Month, we honor the service and sacrifice of members of the Army, Navy, Air Force, Coast Guard, Marines, Space Force and National Guard as well as the contribution of their spouses; and

WHEREAS, the month of May is characterized by six national observances which highlight the contributions of those who have served ending with Memorial Day, the Federal holiday that honors our veterans and commemorates the men and women who died while in military service.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, hereby designates the month of May 2020 as **Military Appreciation Month** and urges all citizens of San Mateo County to join in its salute to all in service to this Country.

Dated: May 19, 2020

SUPERVISORS:

WARREN SLOCUM, PRESIDENT

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Attest: _____
Deputy Clerk of the Board of Supervisors