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June 29, 2017

Mr. Nick Macchione Health and Human Service Agency County of San Diego 3255 Camino Del Rio South San Diego, CA 92108

RE: BLCI Live Well San Diego Partner Application

Dear Nick,

Barrio Logan College Institute (BLCI), in its twenty-first-year anniversary, continues with its mission to transform the lives of underserved youth through the ABCs: Academic Support, Behavioral Development, and College Knowledge. To date, BLCI celebrates 100% college enrollment, 132 and counting graduates, and 48 graduated from college.

Our goal is to break the cycle of poverty by preparing underserved students to be the first in their families to go to college through after school programs that begin in third grade. Our after-school enrichment program is a pipeline that begins in the third grade and continues through post college graduation.

BLCI works collaboratively with local schools, educational nonprofits, public agencies, businesses, philanthropy, and other community leaders who have developed programs for social change, and recognize that our efforts strongly align with San Diego County's Live Well San Diego Program to support a San Diego region that is healthy, safe, and thriving. As such, BLCI will contribute to the Live Well San Diego initiative by participating in collaborative efforts and educational opportunities with the programs broader network.

We are excited about this opportunity to work with the County of San Diego and other partners in the community, to help advance the principles and outcomes of a strong Live Well San Diego Program.

Kind regards,

Jolyn Parker Board Chair



BOARD RESOLUTION

Wheras, the County of San Diego's Live Well San Diego initiative is about uniting all sectors: business; schools; military and veteran's organizations; community and faith-based organizations; and, all levels of the government – in order to bring about positive change in the community; and

Whereas BLCI fulfills the criteria of the Live Well San Diego partner requirements of being an influential leader of change in the community, implementing innovative program, develops measurable objectives, and are forward thinking in regards to sustainable change; and

Whereas by becoming a partner, BLCI will have the opportunity to collaborate with the network of Live Well San Diego champions and partners to achieve the greatest collective impact possible for creating and sustaining safe, healthy and thriving communities;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Directors of BLCI approves the partnership with the County of San Diego's Live Well Program occuring on Thursday, June 29, 2017.

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Board Chair

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