



PROCLAMATION

Presented by Chairwoman Kristin Gaspar

HONORING IBM LIVE WELL SAN DIEGO

WHEREAS, the health, safety and well-being of residents is of primary concern for the County of San Diego and on July 13, 2010, the San Diego County Board of Supervisors adopted Live Well San Diego to achieve the County's vision of safe, healthy and thriving communities; and

WHEREAS, the Live Well San Diego vision is about uniting all sectors—business, schools, military and veterans' organizations, community and faith-based organizations, and all levels of government—in order to bring about positive change; and

WHEREAS, IBM is a globally integrated enterprise with significant activities in almost every aspect of the information technology business in almost every country in the world; and

WHEREAS, IBM partnered with the County of San Diego to build ConnectWellSD, an innovative, electronic information hub that enables a person-centered approach to service delivery; and

WHEREAS, the ConnectWellSD technology developed by IBM provides a secure tool through which staff and service providers are able to provide tailored services, connect their customers to a wide range of resources, safely share information with colleagues, and collaborate across disciplines and departments; and

WHEREAS, IBM's Global Health Corps is focused on tackling health disparities by unlocking the power of data to improve health outcomes and deliver lasting change across the globe; and

WHEREAS, IBM offers a no cost, publicly available online course detailing the importance of disaster volunteering as well as opportunities for their employees to take part and ensure communities are resilient to disasters and emergencies; and

WHEREAS, IBM offers grants that provide consulting expertise and technologies to non-profit organizations to ensure data is analyzed quickly and efficiently, and thereby assuring that they stay in business by making compliance and reporting requirements easy; and

WHEREAS, through their Veterans Employment Initiative, Science for Social Good Initiative, and Teachers Try Science Program, IBM is committing to continuing to advance Live Well San Diego into the future, and is embracing strategies that cultivate opportunities for all people and communities to grow, connect and enjoy the highest quality of life; NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT PROCLAIMED by Chairwoman Kristin Gaspar and all members of the San Diego County Board of Supervisors on this 25th day of September 2018 that they commend IBM for its outstanding service, leadership, and commitment to the health and wellness of county residents, and do hereby declare this day to be the "IBM LIVE WELL SAN DIEGO DAY" throughout San Diego County.



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