



## PROCLAMATION

Presented by Supervisor Bill Horn

### HONORING ONWARD TO OPPORTUNITY

*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 the Live Well San Diego initiative to achieve the County's vision of safe, healthy and thriving communities; and*

*WHEREAS, Live Well San Diego is the common thread between the work of public and private entities, faith-based and community-based organizations, cities, business community members, and other stakeholders toward a shared vision of healthier, safe, and more self-sufficient communities; and*

*WHEREAS, Onward to Opportunity's mission is to empower highly qualified transitioning service members and military families with the specific skills, certifications and training required to start successful civilian careers in growing industries; and*

*WHEREAS, Onward to Opportunity is a free career training program that provides professional certification and job placement support to transitioning service members, veterans and military spouses; and*

*WHEREAS, Onward to Opportunity also partners with leading veteran service organizations and private sector companies to identify employers committed to training and hiring veterans; and*

*WHEREAS, Onward to Opportunity treats every one of their students with integrity and respect and incorporates Live Well San Diego's commitment to support healthy, safe and thriving communities with their value statement of teamwork, respect, family, community and making a difference;*

*WHEREAS, the County of San Diego is committed to recognizing and honoring those organizations that support healthier, safer and more thriving communities, and Onward to Opportunity is one such worthy organization; NOW THEREFORE,*

*BE IT PROCLAIMED by Chairwoman Dianne Jacob and all members of the San Diego Board of Supervisors on this 1<sup>st</sup> day of December 2017 that they commend ONWARD TO OPPORTUNITY for its outstanding service, leadership and commitment to the health and wellness of county residents, and do hereby declare this day to be "ONWARD TO OPPORTUNITY LIVE WELL SAN DIEGO DAY" throughout San Diego County.*



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