



PROCLAMATION

Presented by Supervisor Nathan Fletcher

HONORING OUTDOOR OUTREACH

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, Outdoor Outreach, founded in 1999, has a mission to connect youth to the transformative power of the outdoors; and

WHEREAS, Outdoor Outreach demonstrates the Live Well San Diego vision by providing opportunities for young people to surf, climb, paddle and engage them in meaningful activities that promote sense of self, self-esteem, belonging and resiliency; and

WHEREAS, Outdoor Outreach connects participants to a positive peer network and instructors who model possibility and opportunity, thereby helping build more vibrant communities by improving access to the outdoors for underserved groups; and

WHEREAS, Outdoor Outreach collaborates 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; and

WHEREAS, Outdoor Outreach is committed to continuing to advance Live Well San Diego into the future, and is embracing strategies of this vision in ways such as improving access to public lands and focusing on real outcomes for youth participants, their families, their schools and their communities; NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT PROCLAIMED by Chairwoman Dianne Jacob and all members of the San Diego County Board of Supervisors on this 8th day of April 2019 that they commend **OUTDOOR OUTREACH** for its outstanding service, leadership and commitment to the health and wellness of county residents and do hereby declare this day to be the **"OUTDOOR OUTREACH LIVE WELL SAN DIEGO DAY"** throughout San Diego County.



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