

PROCLAMATION

HONORING SAN DIEGO REGIONAL EAST COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

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 vision 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 veteran's organizations, community- and faith-based organizations, and all levels of government—in order to bring about positive change; and

WHEREAS, the mission of the East County Chamber of Commerce is the respected and trusted voice of and advocate for improving business opportunities, public policy and business education throughout San Diego County, while improving business competitiveness and developing solutions to homelessness through the Chamber's Homeless Taskforce, and by working collaboratively with all sectors of our communities; and

WHEREAS, the East County Chamber of Commerce fulfills the Live Well San Diego partner requirements by advocating for and improving crime and safety around businesses; referring, advocating, engaging individuals in the local leadership program and the workforce development program to train entrepreneurs and community leaders; and thru bringing residents, providers, and people experiencing homelessness together to combat and find solutions for homelessness; and

WHEREAS, the East County Chamber of Commerce is dedicated to expanding mental health services, increasing access to housing opportunities and resources, and decreasing homeless youth; and

WHEREAS, the East County Chamber of Commerce whole-heartedly supports the Live Well San Diego vision and 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; and

WHEREAS, the East County Chamber of Commerce is committed to continuing to advance Live Well San Diego into the future, and is embracing strategies of this vision to improve the health and well-being of everyone in San Diego County, leaving no group behind; NOW THEREFORE,

BE IT PROCLAIMED by Chairwoman Kristin Gaspar and all members of the San Diego County Board of Supervisors on this 13th day of September 2018 that they commend San Diego Regional East County Chamber of Commerce for its outstanding service, leadership, and commitment to the health and wellness of county residents, and do hereby declare this day to be the **“SAN DIEGO REGIONAL EAST COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE LIVE WELL SAN DIEGO DAY”** throughout San Diego County.