

PROCLAMATION

Presented by Supervisor Greg Cox

HONORING URBAN COLLABORATIVE PROJECT LIVE WELL SAN DIEGO DAY

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, the Urban Collaborative Project has shared the values and vision for creating a healthy, safe and thriving community in Southeastern San Diego through service that include but are not limited to Safety, Civil Civic Engagement, Community Health and Wellness, Neighborhood Enhancement, Arts and Culture, Youth, and Community Outreach; and

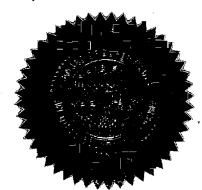
WHEREAS, the Urban Collaborative Project has effectively worked with Southeastern San Diego's largest grocery store to improve the quality of healthy food, converted numerous vacant lots to become safer trails and gardens, provided neighborhood groups with numerous capacity building tools; conducted numerous outreach and events to bring the community together and keep residents informed of important issues; and

WHEREAS, the Urban Collaborative Project has educated, empowered and energized community residents through the Resident Leadership Academy to create a wide array of community improvement projects for lasting change in their neighborhoods; and

WHEREAS, the Urban Collaborative Project has effectively brought together residents, neighborhoods and town councils, faith-based groups, law enforcement, engineering, public works, community organizations, and County agencies to address walkability, bicycle safety, graffiti reporting, and urban development; and

WHEREAS, the County of San Diego is committed to recognizing and honoring those organizations that are dedicated to the best ideals of public service and the Urban Collaborative Project is one such worthy organization; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT PROCLAIMED by Chairman Bill Horn and all members of the San Diego County Board of Supervisors on this 10th day of August 2015 that they commend the **URBAN COLLABORATIVE PROJECT** for its commitment to health and wellness and do hereby declare this day to be "**URBAN COLLABORATIVE PROJECT LIVE WELL SAN DIEGO DAY**" throughout San Diego County.



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