

# Proclamation

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
PROCLAIMS MAY 14, 2003 AS

## RSVP DAY

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WHEREAS, The Retired and Senior Volunteer Program of San Mateo County (RSVP) has provided community service opportunities for older Americans age 55 and over, for 29 years; and

WHEREAS, the contributions the Retired Senior Volunteer Program of San Mateo County has made to the local area are invaluable, and reflect an organization devoted to the highest ideals of community service; and

WHEREAS, more than 1,000 RSVP members, sponsored by Mills-Peninsula Senior Focus, as a part of the Corporation for National and Community Service (CNCS) tapping the talent of senior volunteers, provided more than 247,000 hours of service in 2002, helping over 150 nonprofit and government agencies throughout San Mateo County; and

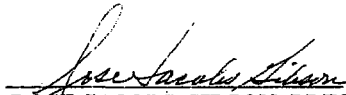
WHEREAS, RSVP members reported over 91,000 volunteer hours at nonprofit agencies addressing Health and Nutrition needs of the community, over 84,000 volunteer hours at nonprofit agencies addressing Human needs of the community, over 54,000 volunteer hours at nonprofit agencies addressing Community and Economic Development needs of the community, and over 8,000 volunteer hours at nonprofit agencies addressing Education needs of the community; and

WHEREAS, RSVP members reported over 6,000 volunteer hours at nonprofit agencies addressing Public Safety needs of the community through a call for all Americans to join the US Freedom Corps to promote a culture of responsibility, service and citizenship; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT PROCLAIMED, that the Board of Supervisors of San Mateo County does hereby designate May 14, 2003 as RSVP DAY in San Mateo County on the 29<sup>th</sup> annual recognition event day. And we ask all citizens, whatever their ages or backgrounds, to join the National Service Movement and volunteer.

Dated: May 14, 2003

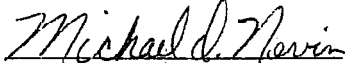
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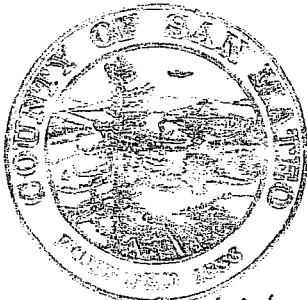
  
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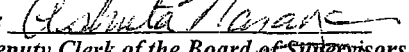
  
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