

Resolution

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA
RESOLUTION HONORING

ORGANIZATION OF CHINESE AMERICANS SAN MATEO COUNTY CHAPTER

WHEREAS, on this 11th day of October, two thousand and three, the ORGANIZATION OF CHINESE AMERICANS - SAN MATEO COUNTY CHAPTER celebrates its 15TH Annual Dinner and Asian American Achievement Awards Gala; and

WHEREAS, the ORGANIZATION OF CHINESE AMERICANS - SAN MATEO COUNTY CHAPTER honors California Assemblywoman Wilma Chan, who has been a trailblazer throughout her career as the first Asian American to serve on the Alameda County Board of Supervisors and today as the California Assembly Majority Leader, making her the highest ranking Asian American to serve in the state legislature; and

WHEREAS, the ORGANIZATION OF CHINESE AMERICANS - SAN MATEO COUNTY CHAPTER honors Micheline Chau for her leadership in the entertainment industry as Chief Operating Officer at Lucasfilm, Ltd., and for her commitment to quality management to a production team that has earned 19 Oscar and 12 Emmy Awards; and

WHEREAS, the ORGANIZATION OF CHINESE AMERICANS - SAN MATEO COUNTY CHAPTER honors Heather Fong for her dedication to public safety and the broader community since her first days as a San Francisco Police Officer in 1977 to her current position as the Assistant Chief for the San Francisco Police Department; and

WHEREAS, the ORGANIZATION OF CHINESE AMERICANS - SAN MATEO COUNTY CHAPTER honors Doreen Woo Ho for over 25 years in the financial services industry and her current achievements managing portfolios valuing \$40 billion, over 2 million accounts, and over 5,000 employees as President of Wells Fargo & Company's Consumer Credit Group; and

WHEREAS, the ORGANIZATION OF CHINESE AMERICANS - SAN MATEO COUNTY CHAPTER honors Emily Sano, who as director of the Asian Art Museum, has overseen the relocation and successful reopening of the new Asian Art Museum of San Francisco, along with the implementation of the \$51 million bond approved by the voters of San Francisco; and

WHEREAS, ORGANIZATION OF CHINESE AMERICANS - SAN MATEO COUNTY CHAPTER honors Professor Ling-Chi Wang for his dedication to promoting the research and understanding of issues impacting Asian Americans as the current director of Asian American Studies at UC Berkeley's Department of Ethnic Studies, and for his leadership in countless community organizations;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of San Mateo County extends its sincerest congratulations to the ORGANIZATION OF CHINESE AMERICANS - SAN MATEO COUNTY CHAPTER for its passion and dedication to the Asian American communities in the Peninsula and beyond, and its warmest wishes to the honorees of the 15TH Annual Dinner and Asian American Achievement Awards Gala.

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