

Resolution

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

THE 30TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE REDWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH Redwood City, CA

WHEREAS, in June of 2004 the Redwood Baptist Church, located at 435 Fifth Ave. in Redwood City, CA will be celebrating its 30th Anniversary and is planning an extraordinary week of special meetings, activities and other events from June 27-30; and

WHEREAS, in 1974, Pastor Dwight Tomlinson started the Redwood Baptist Church with a small group of people who began meeting at a local elementary school until they were able to purchase the property at 435 Fifth Ave. in Redwood City; and

WHEREAS, this small group has now evolved into a congregation of over 250 people, some of which have been attending all 30 years, where Pastor David Azzarello has served as pastor of the church for the past four years; and

WHEREAS, the mission of Redwood Baptist Church is to be a lighthouse to the Mid-Peninsula area by spreading the gospel; and

WHEREAS, the Redwood Baptist Church strongly believes in reaching out to the community through such programs like, using buses to pick up those people throughout the Mid-Peninsula area with no rides to church, establishing weekly activities for local teenagers to attend, holding weekly substance abuse and support meetings, and beginning in the fall of 2004, there will be an educational program established for those who are seeking additional Biblical and ministerial training; and

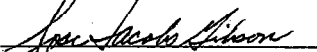
WHEREAS, the Redwood Baptist Church has a ten year vision plan that includes ideas such as starting a retirement home for elderly church members, a community bookstore, establishing housing for an addiction program, as well as, starting several private schools in the area, a new educational building, a gymnasium, a family outreach center, a rescue mission and a recovery home; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the San Mateo County Board of Supervisors does hereby applaud the Redwood Baptist Church for its 30 years of proven commitment to the betterment of our communities through faith-based public service. The Board extends its best wishes and continued support in all your future endeavors!

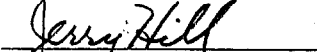
DATED: June 27, 2004

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Attest: Deputy Clerk of the Board of Supervisors