Resolution

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

HOWARD GOODE

WHEREAS, on this twenty-seventh day of January, 2005, HOWARD GOODE is honored for his more than fifteen years of distinguished service for the San Mateo County Transit District (SamTrans); and

WHEREAS, HOWARD GOODE began his career in public transportation working for the California Department of Transportation and the Bay Area Rapid Transit District before coming on board with SamTrans in 1989 as a management analyst; and

WHEREAS, HOWARD GOODE has served in numerous capacities at SamTrans including Deputy General Manager in Planning and Engineering, Chief Development Officer, and Deputy Executive Director of the San Mateo County Transportation Authority; and

WHEREAS, during his tenure at SamTrans, HOWARD GOODE played an integral part in the first major overhaul of the 125-year-old Caltrain system which included numerous station upgrades, track improvements and grade separations which increased the reliability of train service and enhanced the health and safety of the community; and

WHEREAS, HOWARD GOODE also significantly contributed to the preparation of a new Transportation Expenditure Plan that was the foundation of the renewal of Measure A which received an overwhelming 75% of the vote giving it the highest approval margin of all the transportation measures in the Bay Area on the November, 2004 ballot,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of San Mateo County expresses congratulations and sincere gratitude to HOWARD GOODE for more than fifteen years of extraordinary service to the San Mateo County Transit District. His strong leadership, progressive vision, and extraordinary commitment toward improving upon our quality of life have served the community well.

Dated: January 27, 2005

SUPERVISORS:



RICH GORDON, PRESIDENT

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