

## County of Sonoma

State of California

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## Resolution Of The Board Of Supervisors Of The County Of Sonoma, State Of California, Declaring May 2019 as Older Americans Month in Sonoma County

**Whereas,** Sonoma County includes a growing number of older Americans who enrich our community through their diverse life experiences; and

Whereas, Sonoma County is committed to strengthening our community by connecting with and supporting older adults, their families, and caregivers and acknowledging their many valuable contributions to society; and

Whereas, Sonoma County recognizes the importance of bringing together all generations and engaging in activities that promote physical, mental, and emotional well-being for the benefit of all; and

Whereas, Sonoma County can enhance the lives of older Americans in our community by promoting home and community based services that support independent living; involving older adults in community events and other activities; and providing opportunities for older adults to work, volunteer, learn , lead and mentor.

**Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved** that the Sonoma County Board of Supervisors join the President and Congress of the United States, and the Governor of California and proclaim May 2019 to be Older Americans Month. We urge every resident to take time during this month to recognize older adults and the people who serve them as essential and valuable members of our community.

Supervisors:					
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Ayes:	Noes:		Absent:	Abstain:	
	So Ordered.				