



# County of Sonoma

## State of California

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4/5 Vote Required

### **Resolution of The Board Of Supervisors Of The County Of Sonoma, State Of California, Honoring Sam and Carol Morphy as the 2020 Muses for Sonoma Valley**

**Whereas**, the Sonoma Community Center annually honors a local notable as its muse and then celebrates that person with a creative, festive event; and

**Whereas**, the designation of “Muse” pays homage to people and personalities who have made the Sonoma Valley such a remarkable place, steeped in history, character and natural beauty; and

**Whereas**, the mission of Sonoma Community Center is to enrich the lives of the people of Sonoma Valley by fostering a broad range of cultural, educational, and community services and by ensuring the preservation and restoration of its historic building; and

**Whereas**, Carol and Sam’s connection with the Community Center dates back to the founding of Presentation School in the space in the late ‘90s, which their children then attended, along with ballet classes, art classes and plays; and

**Whereas**, as a passionate Rotarian, Sam was also involved in the renovation of Andrews Hall into a modern theatre venue along with the Rotary Community Kitchen, completed in 2013; and

**Whereas**, for almost all of their 30 years in Sonoma Valley, Sam and Carol demonstrated compassion and kindness for the community regularly donating to auctions and events for local nonprofits; and

**Whereas**, Sam and Carol Morphy made essential contributions and provided help to the community and those in need especially and most generously to the first responders, survivors and evacuees during the 2017 firestorm; and

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Sonoma honors Sam and Carol Morphy on being named the 2020 Muses for Sonoma Valley.

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Supervisors:

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Zane:

Gore:

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Ayes:

Noes:

Absent:

Abstain:

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