

County of Sonoma

State of California

Date: March 16, 2021	
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Resolution Number:

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Resolution of the Board of Supervisors of the County Of Sonoma, State of California, Declaring March 2021 As National Professional Social Worker Month in Sonoma County.

Whereas, the County of Sonoma recognizes the value of professionally trained social workers to further the goals and missions that benefit the residents of the county; and

Whereas, social workers, whether in direct service, supervision, administration or policy development make an impact in all of Sonoma County; and

Whereas, social workers use their education, professional training, and commitment to open the doors of access and opportunity for everyone, especially those in greatest need. They serve individuals and families through home visiting programs, children's medical services, child protection, foster care, adoption, child abuse prevention, adult protection, adult abuse prevention, adult housing, care management, In-Home Supportive Services, and behavioral health services. They continue to serve children and adults through creative modalities during the COVID pandemic as essential workers; and

Whereas, the County of Sonoma has approximately 200 social workers on the front lines of our communities every day; and

Whereas, the Human Services Department and Department of Health Services have identified the need to continue to offer the highest level of services for their social work programs.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that the Board of Supervisors of Sonoma County does hereby declare March 2021 as National Professional Social Worker Month in Sonoma County. Supervisors:

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Ayes:	Noes:	Absent:		Abstain:
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