

WHEREAS, Leo Chavez resigned from his position as the Chancellor of the Foothill-De Anza Community College District to pursue a new opportunity as the Executive Vice President for Community Foundation Silicon Valley, a nonprofit organization that raises funds for public benefit agencies; and

WHEREAS, Leo Chavez served as President of West Valley College for six years and as a history/ethnic studies instructor and administrator at San Jose City College for 13 years prior to accepting the chancellor position at Foothill-De Anza Community College District; and

WHEREAS, Leo Chavez has had a number of significant accomplishments while at the Foothill-De Anza Community College District such as overseeing the passage of Measure E, a \$248 million bond measure passed in 1999 for district facility renovations, as well as the development of an academic master plan for Foothill-De Anza; and

WHEREAS, Leo Chavez is an active member of the community, serving on the boards of the Chief Executive Officers of the California Community Colleges, the League for Innovation in the Community College and Comerica Bank; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Clara, State of California does hereby honor

LEO CHAVEZ

for his outstanding service as the chancellor of the Foothill-De Anza Community College District.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this Twenty-fifth Day of February, Two Thousand and Three by unanimous vote.