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WHEREAS, thousands of volunteers of all ages work in collaboration with businesses, churches, schools, organizations, government, media, entertainment, and health care, to unleash compassion in venues surrounding their community to meet the needs of those in the valley; and

WHEREAS, Beautiful Day is designed to address those who are under-resourced and in need in Santa Clara County. Service venues include car clinics and day spas for single moms, and widows and wives of active duty military. Other services offered include extreme home makeovers for blighted homes, blood drives, Thanksgiving meals for needy families, school makeovers, jacket drives, AIDS/HIV Community Center detail cleaning, neighborhood dumpsters, playground remodels, Health Trust Food Basket (HIV/AIDS provider) and much more; and

WHEREAS, Beautiful Day and its "Project Restoration" gathered over 600 volunteers and cleaned up 1,200 homes in the Seven Trees area with help from fourteen different churches and forty dumpsters. Their goal is to bring thousands of volunteers into these neighborhoods to mow, clean, de-weed, paint, provide graffiti cover-up and more; and

WHEREAS, Beautiful Day has plans to continue with this project to help clean up other areas in Santa Clara County;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Clara does hereby recognize and commend

Beautiful Day
"Project Restoration"

for its extraordinary service to Santa Clara County.

PASSED AND ADOPTED, this Twentieth Day of October, Two thousand and Nine by unanimous vote.

Liz Kniss, President
Board of Supervisors

Donald F. Gage
Supervisor, District One

George Shirakawa
Supervisor, District Two

Dave Cortese
Supervisor, District Three

Approved as to Form and Legality



County Counsel

Ken Yeager
Supervisor, District Four

Date 10-09-09

Attest: Maria Marinos
Clerk, Board of Supervisors

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