PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the City of Cupertino wishes to show its support for National Men's Health Month and Health Week from June 12 – June 18, 2017; and

WHEREAS, Men's Health Month began in 1994 with the Congressional passage of Men's Health Week, sponsored by Senator Bob Dole and Congressman Bill Richardson. Men's Health Week was signed by President Clinton and became law on May 31, 1994; and

WHEREAS, men who are educated about the value of preventative health will be more likely to participate in health screening; and

WHEREAS, Men's Health Network worked with Congress to develop National Men's Health Week as a special campaign to help educate men and their families about the importance of positive health attitudes and preventative health practices; and

WHEREAS, the City of Cupertino recognizes Men's Health Week will focus on a broad range of men's health issues, including heart disease, mental health, and diabetes, prostate, testicular and colon cancer.

NOW, therefore, be it resolved, that the Mayor and City Council of Cupertino, do hereby proclaim the week leading up to and including Father's Day as Men's Health Week and encourage all our citizens to pursue preventative health practices and early detection efforts.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Cupertino to be affixed this Wednesday, May Tenth, Two Thousand and Seventeen.



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