

MISCELLANEOUS DOCUMENTS REPORT APRIL 23, 2024

1.0 **PROCLAMATIONS**

- -- Amazon Local Good Community Impact Award April 11, 2024
- -- Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints Community Impact Award April 11, 2024



- WHEREAS, this partnership with Amazon Local Good comes at a time when many families are struggling with rising food prices, high gas prices and medical bills, with choices needing to be made on where to spend money; and
- WHEREAS, this partnership with Amazon Local Good has allowed Second Harvest Food Bank Santa Cruz County to reach community members that otherwise might not have been able to attend one of their partner pantries or community distribution sites; and
- WHEREAS, Amazon Local Good has provided home deliveries to the most vulnerable populations in our community and around the country such as homebound chronically ill residents, working families, elderly, and new mothers; and
- WHEREAS, currently, this partnership is enabling Second Harvest Food Bank Santa Cruz County to make 50 deliveries per week, which equals 50 new participants knowing about the Food Bank's services.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Vanessa Quiroz-Carter, Mayor of the City of Watsonville, in the State of California, on behalf of the City Council hereby congratulate Amazon Local Good on receiving Second Harvest Food Bank Santa Cruz County's 2024 Community Impact Award and recognize their commitment to the health and well-being of the community.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Watsonville to be affixed this 11th day of April, Two thousand and twenty-four.

Vanessa Quiroz-Carter, Mayor

WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA

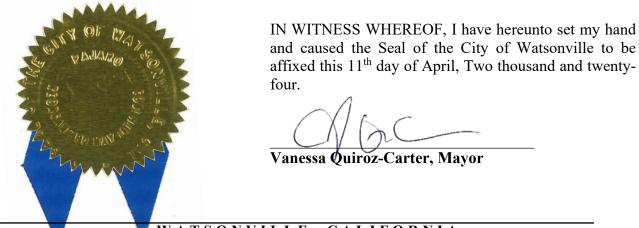
roclamation Church of Jesus Christ of Watsonville Latter-Day Saints **Community Impact Award**

WHEREAS, the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, a valued community partner since June 2020, donated over 312,176 pounds of food in the first half of last year to Second Harvest Food Bank Santa Cruz County and its network of 130 local agencies and programs, which served an average of 65,000 individuals every month; and

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- WHEREAS, the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints provided essential emergency food donations including nutritious, shelf stable pantry items during the 2023 atmospheric river storms, flooding, and subsequent levee breach, which allowed Second Harvest to continue providing the County's food insecure residents with nourishment: and
- WHEREAS, the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints is an invaluable source of food and funding for Santa Cruz County; and
- WHEREAS, the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints believes in giving back and, organization-wide, has worked to provide speedy food relief and seamless delivery donations, and is deeply committed to supporting the community through health, wellness, encouraging healthy lifestyles, and providing quality food for healthy meals.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Vanessa Quiroz-Carter, Mayor of the City of Watsonville, in the State of California, on behalf of the City Council hereby congratulate the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints on receiving Second Harvest Food Bank Santa Cruz County's 2024 Community Impact Award and recognize their dedication to serving others in their time of need.



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