



PROCLAMATION

Presented by Chair Nathan Fletcher

HONORING SAN DIEGO GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY 75TH ANNIVERSARY

WHEREAS, The San Diego Genealogical Society was founded on October 10, 1946 at a meeting initiated by Mrs. Alicia Pearl Meyer and the meeting, held at high noon at the U.S. Grant Hotel in downtown San Diego was attended by Mrs. Elzoe C. Weissgerber and Mr. Paul Henry Goss and the stated purpose of organizing the society was for "mutual help in the pursuance of genealogical work and for the establishing of a genealogical library for the benefit of members"; and

WHEREAS, the San Diego Genealogical Society began with 26 charter members in 1946, and continues to grow today with 427 active members throughout San Diego County; and

WHEREAS, the objective of the San Diego Genealogical Society is to promote interest in genealogy and family history research through individual and group effort and in cooperation with other like-minded organizations; and

WHEREAS, the San Diego Genealogical Society supports the genealogical collection at the San Diego Public Library, as well as support for the collection and preservation of genealogical and historical records of San Diego County and the Society provides presentation of in person and virtual lectures and classes of genealogical interest, the advancement of digital technology including genetic genealogy, social media and writing and publishing of books, blogs and papers in the subject field; and

WHEREAS, with the dedication and service of its many volunteers, the San Diego Genealogical Society provides free research services and assistance to the general public and groups interested in genealogy and family history in San Diego County; and

*WHEREAS, the County of San Diego is committed to recognizing and honoring organizations and individuals that are dedicated to the best ideals of public service and The San Diego Genealogical Society is one such worthy organization; **NOW THEREFORE***

***BE IT PROCLAIMED** by Chair Nathan Fletcher and all members of the San Diego County Board of Supervisors on this 9th day of October 2021 that they commend **THE SAN DIEGO GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY** and do hereby declare this day to be "**THE SAN DIEGO GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY DAY**" throughout San Diego County.*



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