

CITY OF



CUPERTINO

Proclamation

- WHEREAS,** For over 35 years, Donor Network West, the federally designated organ procurement organization for Northern California and Northern Nevada, has been working to save and heal lives through organ, eye, and tissue donation for transplantation and research; and
- WHEREAS,** In 2025, Donor Network West coordinated 1,269 organ transplantations, each one saving a life. Despite our progress, we continue to face a critical shortage of organ donors and the number of people in need of a transplant remains high; and
- WHEREAS,** More than 612 individuals in Santa Clara County. Nationwide, there are more than 100,000 people waiting for a lifesaving organ transplant. In California, there are more than 20,000 people waiting to get that life-saving call and a second chance at life; and
- WHEREAS,** Anyone can be an organ donor by registering at your local DMV or visiting the Donor Network West website. On behalf of Donor Network West, I'd like to thank the Board of Supervisors, County of Santa Clara, and the State of California for their continued support for organ, eye, and tissue donation and for joining us in observing National Donate Life Month; and
- NOW,
THEREFORE, BE
IT RESOLVED** I, Mayor Kitty Moore, and the Cupertino City Council, proclaim that April 2026 shall be recognized as

National Donate Life Month

IN WITNESS THEROF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City Of Cupertino to be affixed this month of April, Two Thousand and Twenty-Six.

Katherine "Kitty" Moore

The Honorable Kitty Moore
Mayor, City of Cupertino