

CITY OF MOUNTAIN VIEW  
RESOLUTION NO.  
SERIES 2016

A RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF MOUNTAIN VIEW'S APPLICATION  
TO THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION FOR AN  
"AGE-FRIENDLY" CITY DESIGNATION

WHEREAS, the County of Santa Clara currently has over 361,500 residents over the age of 65, and this will increase by 2060 to 25 percent of the total County population; and

WHEREAS, the U.S. Census Bureau in 2013 estimated that the City of Mountain View has 8,068 residents over the age of 65; and

WHEREAS, the World Health Organization has developed a Global Network of Age-Friendly Cities to encourage and promote public policies and enhance the lives of older adults; and

WHEREAS, an Age-Friendly City is not just elder-friendly, but also promotes a community friendly for all ages; and

WHEREAS, the World Health Organization has developed eight domains which support the health and longevity of an aging population; and

WHEREAS, the World Health Organization recognizes that towns, cities, and communities have different needs, resources, and varying capacities to engage their resources to take action to facilitate active aging;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Mountain View hereby approves the application to the World Health Organization to designate Mountain View as an Age-Friendly City.

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