

# Proclamation

## *In Honor of Arbor Day in Redwood City April 30, 2021*

*WHEREAS, April 30 has been designated as Redwood City Arbor Day; and*

*WHEREAS, the City of Redwood City has been designated a Tree City USA for the thirty ninth (39th) consecutive year by the National Arbor Day Foundation; and*

*WHEREAS, the City of Redwood City believes in the value and preservation of trees and funds a tree maintenance program for publicly-owned trees and administers a tree preservation ordinance to protect privately-owned trees to ensure a legacy of mature trees within the community; and*

*WHEREAS, the entire City benefits when any property owner, resident, or volunteer gains awareness about trees, and improves their property and the community by planting and maintaining trees and landscapes, which promotes a healthy environment and demonstrates pride in their city.*

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, THAT I, DIANE HOWARD, MAYOR OF REDWOOD CITY, on behalf of the City Council, do hereby proclaim APRIL 30, 2021 as ARBOR DAY IN REDWOOD CITY, and encourage all residents and businesses to join together, plant trees, maintain their existing trees, celebrate Arbor Day, and make our City a cleaner, greener City.**

*Date: April 30, 2021*



  
DIANE HOWARD, MAYOR