



PROCLAMATION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF INYO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA PROCLAIMING THE WEEK OF JULY 19th THROUGH 25th, 2020 PROBATION SERVICES WEEK IN INYO COUNTY

COMMUNITY, PRIDE, AND PROGRESS

WHEREAS, there are many dedicated probation, parole, and pre-trial professionals in Inyo County, the State of California, and the Nation as a whole, who help make our communities safe places to live; and

whereas, the Inyo County Probation Department recognizes that its employees are the most valuable resource in promoting positive change to the most vulnerable youth and adult populations and encourages innovation, motivation, and education within; and

WHEREAS, this year's theme of "Restoring Trust and Creating Hope" is more important now than ever before as communities are experiencing emotionally turbulent times where trust and hope have been replaced with fear and polarization. The Inyo County Probation Department is committed to treating every individual with respect, dignity, and professionalism no matter who they are, where they came from, or what their background is.

WHEREAS, during a pandemic and public health crisis, ICPD professionals have assisted the County to provide support, security and essential services to the most vulnerable citizens within our community while they continued to provide the highest level of care and supervision possible to their probation clients and families; and

WHEREAS, ICPD professionals teach and encourage perseverance and provide the tools to adapt to change in a time of constant unknowns, ups and downs in our country.

WHEREAS, ICPD professionals work collaboratively with local law enforcement, treatment providers, social service agencies, and a variety of other programs, groups and individuals involved with offenders during the transition from incarceration to the community; and

WHEREAS, the hard-working and truly devoted probation professionals continue to meet and overcome the many sophisticated and complex challenges of an ever-changing system and dynamic world; and

WHEREAS, ICPD professionals help bridge the gap between law enforcement and community supervision for our diverse communities, especially our youth, by showing them respect, treating them as valued individuals, and maintaining their trust.

WHEREAS, Probation Services Week is a time for the people of Inyo County to recognize the great men and women who work for the Probation Department; and that probation is the linchpin of the criminal and juvenile justice systems in Inyo County and could not operate without the hard work and dedication these professionals exhibit each day by providing support mechanisms to assist the people they supervise in becoming law abiding citizens, good neighbors, and contributors to our society.

NOW THEREFORE, the Inyo County Board of Supervisors join with other communities and the Nation in honoring these outstanding public servants by declaring the week of July 19th through 25th, 2020 as Probation Services Week in Inyo County.

PASSED AND PROCLAIMED by the Inyo County Board of Supervisors, this 14th day of July, 2020.

by:	CLINT G. QUILTER Clerk of the Board	
		Matt Kingsley, Chairperson Inyo County Board of Supervisors
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