RESOLUTION

Resolution in Support of San Diego Financial Literacy Center Partnership in the County of San Diego’s Live Well San Diego Initiative

On motion of Member Marie Brown-Mercadel, seconded by Member Wessal Khader, the following resolution is adopted:

WHEREAS, the health, safety and well-being of residents is of primary concern for the County of San Diego and on July 13, 2010, the San Diego County Board of Supervisors adopted the Live Well San Diego initiative to achieve the County’s vision of safe, healthy and thriving communities; and

WHEREAS, the concept of a 3-4-50 is the centerpiece for Live Well San Diego, which shows that three behaviors – poor nutrition, lack of exercise, and tobacco use contribute to four diseases: 1) cancer; 2) heart disease and stroke; 3) type 2 diabetes; and 4) respiratory conditions, which account for more than fifty percent of the deaths in San Diego County; and

WHEREAS, Live Well San Diego is the common thread between the work of public and private entities, faith-based organizations, agencies, cities, business community members, and other stakeholders toward a shared vision of a healthier, safe, and more self-sufficient communities; and

WHEREAS, San Diego Financial Literacy Center administers and provides programs and services that demonstrate the principles of Live Well San Diego, including their Smart With Your Money, Boost for our Heroes and Wave of the Future financial literacy programs; and

WHEREAS, San Diego Financial Literacy Center continues to serve the entire San Diego community as a pioneer in the development of comprehensive and culturally competent personal finance education with a focus on self-sufficiency; and

WHEREAS, San Diego Financial Literacy Center is engaged in myriad of partnerships to help advance the Thriving initiative of Live Well San Diego, and is committed to working collaboratively to ensure the needs of our community, especially low-income persons, youth and military, are met in regards to developing smart money habits and breaking the cycles of financial mismanagement; and

WHEREAS, San Diego Financial Literacy Center is committed to continuing to advance Live Well San Diego into the future, and is embracing strategies of this initiative, including empowering vulnerable populations to a secure future, ensure that our youth are prepared to enter the workforce, and providing services to vulnerable populations; and

WHEREAS, San Diego Financial Literacy Center whole-heartedly supports the Live Well San Diego initiative and is committed to supporting healthy, safe and thriving learning communities, and
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Advisors of the San Diego Financial Literacy Center hereby declares San Diego Financial Literacy Center a Live Well San Diego partner. The Managing Director is hereby authorized to execute documents and perform all acts necessary to carry out the intention of this resolution. This resolution will take effect immediately.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of a resolution duly passed and adopted by the Board of San Diego Financial Literacy Center at a meeting held on the 27th day of March, 2015, by the following vote of the Trustees thereof:

AYES, AND IN FAVOR THEREOF: 8
NOES: 0
Absent: 5
Attest: 0

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Antony Murigu, Chair