



IN HONOR OF DR. MARILYN WONG

- WHEREAS,** Dr. Marilyn Wong has served as a physician at various community clinics in the Bay Area including the San Francisco General Refugee Clinic, the Berkeley Free Women's Clinic, and Asian Health Services, in addition to her role as the Director of the San Francisco State Student Health Center; and
- WHEREAS,** Dr. Wong has inspired and mentored hundreds of students at UC Berkeley to pursue careers in medicine and community health and to use their education to better serve under-privileged communities in Berkeley and beyond; and
- WHEREAS,** Dr. Wong founded the Asian American Pacific Islander Health Research Group (AAPIHRG) at UC Berkeley in 2008 which mentors Asian/Pacific Islander students, particularly women from underrepresented and working class communities, to conduct original research on API health issues in marginalized communities and become the next generation of public health professionals; and
- WHEREAS,** In 2013 Dr. Wong and the AAPIHRG students started a partnership with the American Heart Association and the Berkeley Heart 2 Heart Program to provide a community-based approach to address health inequities in South Berkeley.

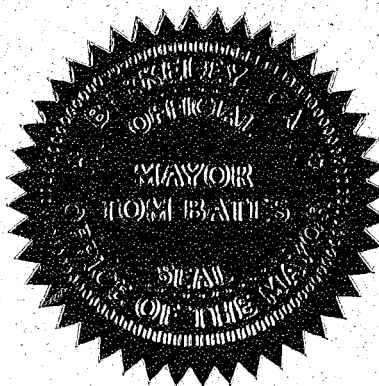
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT I, TOM BATES, Mayor of the City of Berkeley, do hereby honor

Dr. Marilyn Wong

for her many contributions to the city and the community.

Tom Bates

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Mayor



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