

# PROCLAMATION

OF THE  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

## BRAIN INJURY AWARENESS MONTH

*WHEREAS*, blows to the head, concussions, traumatic brain injuries and brain injuries from strokes, Alzheimer's and Parkinson's diseases, epilepsy, dementia and psychological trauma occur every few seconds in the U.S.; and

*WHEREAS*, brain injuries can happen to anyone and are most often caused by vehicular accidents, falls, recreational activities, war injuries and assaults, strokes, diseases and various medical conditions; and

*WHEREAS*, Making Headway Center for Brain Injury Recovery is a local non-profit agency dedicated to preventing brain injury, providing mental health services for the community, as well as opportunities for self-determination and self-sufficiency to people living with brain injuries.

*NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED* that the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors hereby recognizes **March 2020** to be **BRAIN INJURY AWARENESS MONTH** and recognizes Making Headway Center for Brain Injury Recovery for its important work in our community.

DATED: March 3, 2020



ESTELLE FENNELL, Chair