



*San Francisco Commission on the Status of Women
Resolution Recognizing Maria Lara*

BE IT KNOWN That the Department on the Status of Women of the City & County of San Francisco hereby issue and authorize the execution, by the subscribing the Director, of the following commendation:

WHEREAS, Maria Lara has served the City and County of San Francisco, through SF Pretrial's Sisters in Sober Treatment Empowered by Recovery (SISTER) Program, where she regularly represents community through her work with the incarcerated population by conducting individual counseling, groups, and activities that foster successful reintegration for women. She exemplifies great leadership qualities and tirelessly advocates to improve the lives of women in County Jail #2.

WHEREAS, Ms. Lara has been a focused, dedicated advocate and case-worker for the Sisters in Sober Treatment Empowered by Recovery (SISTER) Program and has exceeded expectations during the COVID-19 Pandemic. She continues to dedicate her time and effort to helping women in Bay Area get the help and resources they need. Her efforts and hard work are recognized by this Department, and we are honored to have Ms. Lara to exemplify the type of work needed to support women in the San Francisco.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED That the San Francisco Commission on the Status of Women expresses its deepest appreciation to Maria Lara for her long career dedicated to the City & County of San Francisco, and wishes her the best.

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