

# Proclamation

City and County of San Francisco

*WHEREAS*, the City and County of San Francisco is honored to recognize the invaluable contributions of paralegals across California; and

*WHEREAS*, the San Francisco Paralegal Association (SFPA) was founded in 1972 to provide professional and educational services and resources to its members and to the legal community; and

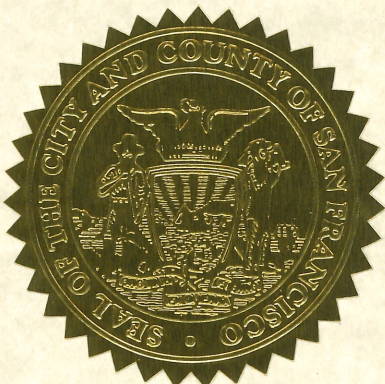
*WHEREAS*, paralegals are retained and employed by Bay Area lawyers, law offices, governmental agencies, and are also authorized by administrative, statutory or court authority; and

*WHEREAS*, paralegals are persons, qualified through education, training, or work experience to perform substantive legal work that requires knowledge of legal concepts that is customarily, but not exclusively, performed by a lawyer; and

*WHEREAS*, due to the evolving nature of our legal system, paralegals' responsibilities, which include case planning and research, client interviews, drafting and analysis of legal documents, preparing discovery requests and responses, and performing trial preparation and assistance, have grown and continue to expand; now

*THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED*, that I, Mark Farrell, Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco, do hereby proclaim June 29, 2018 as...

## CALIFORNIA PARALEGAL DAY *in San Francisco!*



*IN WITNESS WHEREOF*, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City and County of San Francisco to be affixed.

*Mark E. Farrell*  
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Mayor