

**CITY OF NAPA
PROCLAMATION**

***In Recognition of Napa Methodist Church
Hope Resource Center***

WHEREAS, in February 2001, Napa Methodist Church began construction to convert the church's Centennial Hall into a day center for the homeless; and

WHEREAS, the church opened the Hope Resource Center in April 2001; and

WHEREAS, on October 20, 2002, the Centennial Hall was dedicated as the Adams Hall in honor of Ken Adams; and

WHEREAS, since 2001, the Hope Resource Center (aka The Hope Center) has operated a drop-in facility that provides basic services such as showers, restrooms, mail, phones and laundry for homeless adults throughout the day; and

WHEREAS, the Hope Center has served about 60 clients daily, most whom are chronically homeless with physical and behavioral health challenges; and

WHEREAS, the generosity of the Napa Methodist congregation has impacted hundreds of lives and has been a true asset to the Napa County Community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Jill Techel, Mayor of the City of Napa, do hereby express City of Napa's deep gratitude to the Napa Methodist Church for their dedication and support of services to individuals experiencing homelessness through the operation of the Hope Resource Center.

Dated: June 19, 2018

JILL TECHEL, MAYOR
CITY OF NAPA