

## Proclamation

### City and County of San Francisco

WHEREAS, The City and County of San Francisco traditionally recognizes organizations which have made significant and remarkable contributions to the vitality of our city, and the incredible and innovative work of the Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI) at San Francisco State University (SFSU) truly represents San Francisco values at their best; and

WHEREAS, founded in 2003, OLLI at SFSU remains steadfast in its mission aimed to enrich the lives of older adults in San Francisco through its numerous engaging classes, interest groups, outdoors activities, lectures and outings; and

WHEREAS, OLLI at SFSU is tirelessly committed to redefining aging and promoting community building among older adult learners for an accessible and thriving supportive network; and

WHEREAS, with inspiration and generous support from The Bernard Osher Foundation, OLLI at SFSU has become a recognized leader for its vibrant and stimulating offerings that serve older adults in the San Francisco Bay Area and beyond; and

WHEREAS, as a testament to its unwavering commitment to uplifting others, OLLI at SFSU staff members and volunteers of diverse backgrounds and upbringings have joyously offered opportunities for older adults to create a strong and lively lifelong learning community; and

WHEREAS, OLLI at SFSU has demonstrated its longstanding devotion to our elderly residents by providing enrichment opportunities through their education and special interest programming as well as volunteer activities; and

WHEREAS, San Francisco State University is an indelible cornerstone of our City dedicated to quality teaching and inclusivity whose leadership in creating, hosting, and supporting OLLI at SFSU to transition from its College of Extended Learning into now its College of Liberal and Creative Arts; and

WHEREAS, Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at San Francisco State University is an irreplaceable part of our City and its endless dedication to sparking curiosity and educating our City's residents deserves a grand celebration; now

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, London N. Breed, Mayor of the City and County of San Francisco, in recognition of The Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at San Francisco State University on the occasion of the 20<sup>th</sup> anniversary their founding, do hereby proclaim March 23, 2023 as...

Osher Lifelong Learning Institute at San Francisco State University Day...in San Francisco!