Proclamation

Whereas, the 27th annual Stamp Out Hunger Food Drive will be conducted in Alameda by the National Association of Letter Carriers on Saturday, May 11; and

Whereas, last year, the Stamp Out Hunger Food Drive collected 70 million tons of non-perishable food nationwide, including 12,745 pounds in Alameda; and

Whereas, all food collected in Alameda will be donated to the Alameda Food Bank for distribution to its 5,000 clients in Alameda; and

Whereas, the Alameda Food Bank has been feeding the Island since 1977; and

Whereas, the Stamp Out Hunger Food Drive is critical to the Alameda Food Bank's mission to put food on the tables of the 2,100 Alameda households it serves; and

Whereas, the drive will be conducted by the 80 members of the National Association of Letter Carriers who provide reliable and friendly postal service to the residents of Alameda.

Dow, therefore be it resolved, that I, Marilyn Ezzy Ashcraft, Mayor of the City of Alameda, do hereby proclaim Saturday, May 11, 2019 and the second Saturday of the month of May as

Stamp Out Hunger Day

in the City of Alameda with gratitude from the Mayor, City Council and residents of the City of Alameda.

Marilyn/Ezzy Ashcraft

Mayor