



Proclamation

WHEREAS, Emma Chen, resident of Santa Rosa, is recognized for achieving the distinguished title of 2019 Miss Sonoma County's Outstanding Teen; and

WHEREAS, at 15 years of age and a freshman at Maria Carrillo High School, Emma has already proven herself to be an incredible young lady, attaining a top one percent placement academically in her class with a 4.83 GPA, earning membership in the California Scholarship Federation while taking all honors classes and also serving as captain of her math team, earning first place in Mathcounts competition, Santa Rosa's National Arts Program Exhibit, and Best of Show with her art exhibit at our Sonoma County Fair, all while as an accomplished pianist playing since the age of 3; and

WHEREAS, Miss Chen has used her title of Miss Sonoma County's Outstanding Teen in further promoting careers to young women in the fields of science, technology, engineering, arts and math; thus helping them realize their full potential as a member of our society and encouraging them to pursue all interests while understanding the importance of never establishing gender roles; and

WHEREAS, as Miss Sonoma County's Outstanding Teen, she will be representing our fine city of Santa Rosa and Sonoma County at numerous local gatherings and events during her year of service; along with competing for the coveted title of Miss California's Outstanding Teen this upcoming June, and possibly Miss America's Outstanding Teen in July.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that I, Tom Schwedhelm, Mayor of the City of Santa Rosa, on behalf of our entire City Council, congratulate Emma Chen as

2019 MISS SONOMA COUNTY'S OUTSTANDING TEEN



Mayor Tom Schwedhelm
June 18, 2019