

CITY OF SAN JOSE  
*Proclamation*

**WHEREAS:** The City of San José is committed to supporting the arts to inspire and prepare youth for success in the 21<sup>st</sup> century, and to allow them to develop as productive, contributing members of a strong community; and

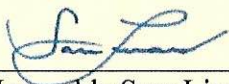
**WHEREAS:** The City of San José shares the vision of ensuring that youth have access to high-quality arts education that is culturally relevant and inclusive in all forms as part of a comprehensive education that sparks curiosity, imagination, creativity, and joy; and

**WHEREAS:** The arts help our youth to recognize and build upon critical thinking skills, curiosity, flexibility, communication, innovation, and collaboration; traits which are require for post-secondary and workplace success;

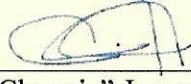
**NOW, THEREFORE, I, Sam Liccardo, Mayor of the City of San José, together with my colleagues on the City Council, do hereby recognize and proclaim March 2022 as**

**YOUTH ARTS MONTH**

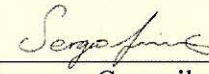
To support and encourage the arts education in the City of San José and celebrate youth in the arts.



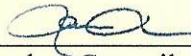
The Honorable Sam Liccardo  
MAYOR




Charles "Chappie" Jones, Vice Mayor



Sergio Jimenez, Councilmember



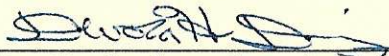
Raul Peralez, Councilmember



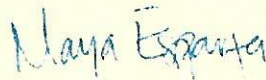
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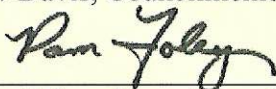
Dev Davis, Councilmember




Maya Esparza, Councilmember



Sylvia Arenas, Councilmember



Pam Foley, Councilmember



Matt Mahan, Councilmember

Attested by:



Toni Taber, City Clerk

