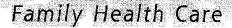


Redwoods Rural



October 12, 2019

Re: Letter of Recommendation - Pedro Toledo

To Whom It May Concern:

As the Executive Director of Redwood Rural Health Center, I am writing to express my strongest support for Pedro Toledo's application to serve on the 2020 Citizens Redistricting Commission.

Redwood Rural Health Center is located in Redway, and serves Southern Humboldt County. Over the last decade, I have worked closely with Pedro on various legislative and advocacy initiatives to expand access to health care services for medically underserved populations, particularly rural populations. I can attest to Pedro's analytical skills, his ability to be impartial, and his appreciation for California's diverse demographics and geography. Thusly, I enthusiastically support his application.

Pedro works tirelessly to improve the quality of life for the most vulnerable populations in our community. Improving the health status and promoting equal access to health care services for all people, especially for children, farmworkers, and medically underserved populations is Pedro's passion.

Pedro is a humble and committed public servant to the people of Sonoma County and across Northern California. Pedro advocates for policies that advance health equity, promote community engagement, and foster small business growth. In his role as Chief Administrative Officer of Petaluma Health Center, over the last five years, he has more than doubled the capacity of the health clinic. He is also the Past President of the Hispanic Chamber of Commerce of Sonoma County, and a Board Member of the Redwood Empire Food Bank and the Sonoma County Workforce Investment Board.

Please accept my enthusiastic recommendation for Pedro Toledo's 2020 Citizen's Redistricting Commission application. I am confident Pedro will use his skills and experience to make meaning contributions to the Commission.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at ttvedt@rrhc.org if you have any questions about my recommendation.

Sincerely,

Tina Tvedt Schaible, MHA, CMPE

Executive Director

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