

# PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, National Giving Month celebrates Americans at their best by acknowledging the generosity and volunteerism that unites people of all ideologies during the month of December; and

WHEREAS, National Giving Month recognizes Americans who tend to the unmet human, educational, health, environmental and public needs of our communities; and

WHEREAS, National Giving Month promotes a strong and vibrant charitable and philanthropic sector ensuring all Americans experience life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness; and

WHEREAS, National Giving Month celebrates donors, volunteers, corporations, foundations and organizations who financially invest in the local, state and national challenges before us; and

WHEREAS, National Giving Month encourages the nonprofit sector to solve the socio-economic challenges that ensure every man, woman and child can pursue the American dream; and

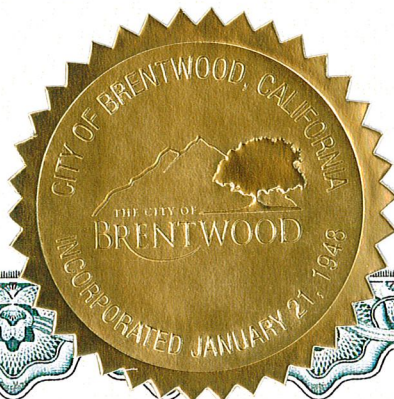
WHEREAS, National Giving Month highlights civic responsibility and the spirit of community and service through shared values that transcend race, religion, gender, age, disability, region, income and education; and

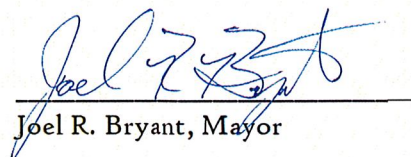
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the City Council of the City of Brentwood does hereby recognize December 2023 as

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and calls upon all residents to commemorate this period by observing appropriate programs and activities and to celebrate National Giving Month by sharing one's time and resources through the charitable community.

Dated this 14th day of November, 2023



  
Joel R. Bryant, Mayor