

**Proclamation of the Siskiyou County Board of Supervisors Recognizing
September 2025 as National Service Dog Month**

WHEREAS National Service Dog Month was created to honor the highly trained dogs who provide essential support to people with disabilities, enhancing safety, independence, and quality of life, and;

WHEREAS service dogs make invaluable contributions not only in the lives of individuals, but also in community settings such as schools, hospitals, courthouses, and care facilities, where their presence enhances comfort, accessibility, and wellbeing, and;

WHEREAS through hundreds of hours of specialized training, service dogs are prepared to meet diverse needs, from providing mobility and hearing support to responding to seizures and assisting individuals with various neurological conditions, and;

WHEREAS the extensive preparation and lifelong support these dogs require is made possible by nonprofit organizations and the dedication of volunteers, trainers, and staff, whose combined efforts ensure that service dogs can continue transforming and enriching lives.

NOW, THEREFORE be it PROCLAIMED that the Siskiyou County Board of Supervisors recognizes September 2025 as National Service Dog Month and encourages residents to honor and recognize the service dogs who improve lives every day, and to support the organizations and individuals dedicated to their training and care.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Siskiyou County Board of Supervisors on October 7, 2025, by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

Nancy Ogren, Chair
Siskiyou County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:
LAURA BYNUM,
COUNTY CLERK

By _____
Deputy