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### **La Mesa Chamber of Commerce Announces 9 Local Heroes Being Honored at Thirteenth Annual Salute to Local Heroes “Hooray for Our Heroes”**

La Mesa, California, September 29, 2021 - The La Mesa Chamber of Commerce announces their thirteenth annual Salute to Local Heroes. This special night, “Hooray for Our Heroes” of fun and celebration is being held on Wednesday, October 13, 2021, from 5:30 p.m. to 8:45 p.m. at the popular Sycuan Casino Resort, 5469 Casino Way (Wachena Ballroom), El Cajon.

This unique event celebrates the strength of the community and honors nine local heroes that serve our community. This evening is our opportunity to come together and honor those dedicated to La Mesa citizens and our entire community. These heroes are from law enforcement, the fire district, the paramedic field, the retired senior volunteer patrol, and this year we have added Sharp Grossmont Hospital.

This year’s heroes to be honored are American Medical Response - Paramedic Keith Martin and EMT Eric Wood, Heartland Fire & Rescue - Firefighter Paramedic, Neil Carter, Firefighter Paramedic, John Oslover, La Mesa Police Department - Police Services Specialist, Jennifer Buckel, and Detective Daniel Garcia, La Mesa Police Department Retired Senior Volunteer Patrol - Joe Wright, Sharp Grossmont Hospital - Nurse Manager, Tania Jones and Manager, Emergency Department, Paul R. Larimore.

The Chamber is grateful to the sponsors who make this evening possible. To date we thank our Title Sponsor - Sycuan Casino Resort, Presenting Sponsors - EDCO and AMR. They are joined by the following sponsors: Diamond Sponsor - SDG&E, Sapphire Sponsor - McGee Mechanical, Ruby Sponsors - Kirk Paving, Inc. and The Kitzman Family, Emerald Sponsors - Amanda Hammett Insurance & Financial Services - State Farm, AT&T, Carl Burger Dodge Chrysler Jeep RAM World, San Diego Eye Professionals, USA Properties Fund, and Westmont of La Mesa, Garnet Sponsors - A.I.C., Inc., California Coast Credit Union - La Mesa, Fully Promoted/EmbroidMe-LaMesa, Kappa Surveying & Engineering and Oakwood Escrow La Mesa.

The Artistic Designer for the evening is La Mesa Floral Design Shoppe, joined by Print Sponsor - AAA Imaging and Graphic Designer - Kostedt Design & Marketing. The



evening will be captured by Directors of Photography Sandra Small/ Photographer and Yvette Zehner of Eviezphotography.com.

The event is open to the entire community with an individual ticket price of \$95, 2 tickets for \$170 and a table of 8 tickets for \$640. Complimentary Valet parking is included. Tickets may be purchased at: [www.lamesachamber.com](http://www.lamesachamber.com) or by calling Mary England, President & CEO directly at (619) 251-7730.

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