

MEDIA EVENT ADVISORY – Wednesday, November 17, 2021

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SAN DIEGO BLOOD DONOR TO BE INDUCTED INTO BLOOD DONATION HALL OF FAME

WHAT: Dedicated San Diego Blood Bank blood donor Candy Yolles will be inducted into the Fresenius Kabi Blood Donation Hall of Fame.

WHEN: Wednesday, November 17, 2021, 11:30 a.m.

WHERE: San Diego Blood Bank headquarters, 3636 Gateway Center Avenue, Suite 100, San Diego, CA 92102 (back patio).

NOTES: The Fresenius Kabi Donation Hall of Fame recognizes individuals nationwide who have demonstrated an extraordinary commitment to blood donation. Blood centers across the country submit nominations from which 12 inductees are chosen annually based on their demonstrated commitment and passion to donating blood and/or encouraging blood donation.

Candy has been hosting blood drives for over 14 years, is an advocate for blood donation, and is a long-time donor herself, having donated over 3 gallons of blood to date. She personally invites donors to her drive, focusing on first-time donors, and to date has recruited over 118 first-time donors. Candy has recruited many friends and family to become regular donors, with her oldest son having donated over 10 gallons.