MEDIA EVENT ADVISORY – FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 2019

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SAN DIEGO BLOOD BANK CELEBRATES NATIONAL DONUT DAY

WHAT: The San Diego Blood Bank will return to its roots and serve donors donuts at four of their donor centers today in recognition of National Donut Day.

National Donut Day was established in 1938 to honor volunteers who made donuts for soldiers serving overseas during World War I in an effort to boost morale. National Donut Day is celebrated annually on the first Friday of June.

WHEN: Friday, June 7, 2019, 8 a.m. – 4 p.m.

WHERE: Four San Diego Blood Bank Donor Centers:

- Gateway Donor Center/Headquarters - 3636 Gateway Center Ave, Suite 100, San Diego 92102
- East County Donor Center – 776 Arnele Ave, El Cajon 92020
- North County Donor Center – 358 West El Norte Parkway, Suite J, Escondido 92026
- Sabre Springs Donor Center – 12640 Sabre Springs Parkway, Suite 109, San Diego 92128

To be eligible to donate blood, you must be at least 17 years old, weigh at least 114 pounds, and be in general good health.

Eligible blood donors are encouraged to schedule an appointment to give by visiting www.SanDiegoBloodBank.org or calling 1-800-4-MY-SDBB (1-800-469-7322).

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