

**County of San Diego Artificial Intelligence Bill of Rights**

This Artificial Intelligence (AI) Bill of Rights aims to ensure that AI technologies are used by County of San Diego responsibly and ethically, protecting individual rights and well-being.

**1. Safe and Effective Systems**

Residents and employees of San Diego County have the right to be protected from harm resulting from use of AI systems. All AI technologies used by the County shall undergo rigorous testing and validation to ensure they meet high standards of safety and effectiveness.

**2. Discrimination Protections**

Residents and employees should not face bias or inequity due to automated systems. AI systems used by the County shall be designed and implemented in a manner that prevents discrimination. The County will actively work to identify and mitigate any discriminatory impacts of AI technologies.

**3. Data Privacy**

Residents and employees have the right to privacy and control over their personal data. The County shall implement robust data protection measures and ensure that residents and employees have clear options to manage how their data is collected, stored, and used by AI systems.

**4. Notice and Explanation**

Residents and employees must be informed when AI systems are being used in decisions that affect them. The County will provide clear and accessible explanations of how these systems work and the rationale behind their decisions when data from an AI system is used to produce public information.

**5. Human Alternatives, Consideration, and Fallback**

The County shall ensure that human oversight (also known as human-in-the-loop, or HITL) is included in every decision-making process that includes the use of AI systems. The County shall ensure that there is the availability to review and address any concerns or issues arising from decisions where AI was used in the process.