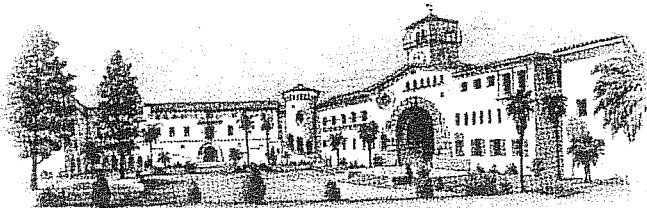


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COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

**RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING
THE DAY OF MAY 6, 2010 AS NATIONAL NURSES DAY
AND THE WEEK OF MAY 6-12, 2010 AS NATIONAL NURSE WEEK**

WHEREAS, the nearly 2.9 million registered nurses in the United States comprise our nation's largest health care profession; and

WHEREAS, in 2010, Public Health Department nurses have met the healthcare needs of residents in Santa Barbara County during the Jesusita Fire; and

WHEREAS, in 2010, Public Health Department nurses have successfully provided education, immunization clinics and health care of Santa Barbara County patients and residents in the Pandemic H1N1; and

WHEREAS, Public Health Department nurses have successfully maintained strong partnerships to prevent adverse perinatal outcomes, assist with access to healthcare, reduce health disparities and provide services for children, including those with special healthcare needs, and controlled the spread of disease; and

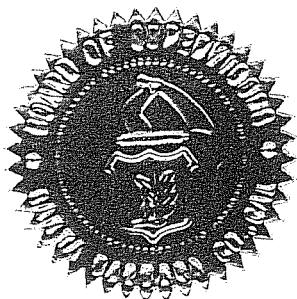
WHEREAS, Nurse Practitioners have met the health needs of women, children and indigent adults in a variety of community health settings; and

WHEREAS, nursing support staff are a vital component of the health care team and include medical assistants, health service aids, case workers, and certified nursing assistants; and

WHEREAS, the theme for National Nurses Week 2010, "Nurses: Caring Today for a Healthier Tomorrow" is the celebration and recognition of the commitment and quality of care that Public Health Department nurses provide.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County does hereby proclaim the sixth day of May 2010 as National Nurses Day, and the week of May sixth through May twelfth 2010 as National Nurses Week in recognition of the contributions of all nurses and nursing support staff working in Public Health Department settings in the County of Santa Barbara.

PASSED AND ADOPTED, by the Board of Supervisors, County of Santa Barbara, State of California, this fourth day of May 2010, by a unanimous vote of all members present.



ATTEST:

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