



# COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

**RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR  
WENDY STANLEY PROBATION MANAGER  
FOR 30 YEARS OF DEDICATED SERVICE  
TO THE CITIZENS AND COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA**

**WHEREAS**, Wendy Stanley was born in Saddle Brook, New Jersey and raised in Agoura, California. She relocated to Santa Barbara County where she attended the University of California, Santa Barbara (UCSB) and volunteered with the Santa Barbara County Probation Department while attending school. She graduated from UCSB in 1987 with a Bachelor of Arts in Law and Society and was subsequently hired by the Santa Barbara County Probation Department in 1989; and

**WHEREAS**, Manager Stanley was initially assigned a Child Support caseload in the Santa Maria Adult Supervision Unit as a Probation Officer, she rose through the ranks, ultimately being promoted to Probation Manager in 2007. Additionally, Manager Stanley held positions as a Deputy Probation Officer III and Supervising Probation Officer; and

**WHEREAS**, during her tenure with the Santa Barbara County Probation Department, Manager Stanley worked in all four Divisions of the Department and interacted with numerous officers, adults and youth, many of which have benefitted from her passion for effecting change. Additionally, she mentored and trained many officers, positively impacting their professional development; and

**WHEREAS**, Manager Stanley received several accolades during her career, receiving: the Probation Peace Officer Association Community Enrichment Award in 2005; Santa Barbara County Probation Department Chief's Award in 2015; was named a Paul Harris Fellow by Rotary International in 2016; and received a Certificate of Recognition from State Senator Hannah-Beth Jackson for Outstanding Contributions to the Santa Barbara Community in 2018; and

**WHEREAS**, Manager Stanley is looking forward to spending time with her husband Britt, daughter Johanna, son Cameron, and continuing to follow the New York Giants and Los Angeles Angels. She will be relocating to Tennessee and is planning to make many new memories with her family and friends.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED AND RESOLVED**, that this Board of Supervisors recognize Wendy Stanley for 30 years of dedicated service to the citizens of Santa Barbara County and the Santa Barbara County Probation Department, and extend to her best wishes for a fulfilling, enjoyable, and rewarding retirement.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED**, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California this 8<sup>th</sup> day of October by the unanimous vote of all members present.



**ATTEST:** Monique Sat...  
Clerk of the Board

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