



# COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

## RESOLUTION HONORING ALLAN GHITTERMAN FOR RECEIVING THE 2012 ANTI-DEFAMATION LEAGUE DISTINGUISHED COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARD

*WHEREAS, Allan Ghitterman has been named as a recipient of the Anti-Defamation League 2012 Distinguished Community Service Award; and*

*WHEREAS, Allan has been a lawyer for more than 56 years, during which time he as represented countless people in the Tri-County area who have been hurt on the job. He currently practices with his son, Russell, and law partner, Ben Feld in Santa Barbara; and*

*WHEREAS, over this period Allan has also been a pro-tem Small Claims court Judge, a court appointed Settlement Master and an Arbitrator for both the Superior Court in Santa Barbara and for the American Arbitration Association; and*

*WHEREAS, for the last several years Allan has been on the Rehabilitation Institute and the Rehabilitation Foundation boards, and is currently on the Food Bank and Legal Aid Foundation boards; and*

*WHEREAS, Allan was a founding member of New Beginnings, an organization dedicated to providing services to those who find themselves at odds with our society, the homeless and the needy; and*

*WHEREAS, since leaving Law school Allan has been actively involved with local and national political campaigns, supporting candidates who represent his ideas of good government.*

*NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors honors and commends Allan Ghitterman for his outstanding contributions to our community and for being a recipient of the 2012 Anti-Defamation League Distinguished Community Service Award.*

*PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California, this 4<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2012 by a unanimous vote of all members present.*



ATTEST:

*Cherise Walker*  
Clerk of the Board

*Loell*  
Supervisor - 1st District

*Grant Wolf*  
Supervisor - 2nd District

*Robert Kane*  
Supervisor - 3rd District

*Joni Gray*  
Supervisor - 4th District

*St. Swain*  
Supervisor - 5th District