

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION HONORING
**WILLIAM E.G. BATTY III, MSW FOR HIS
DEDICATED SERVICE TO FAMILIES, CHILDREN
AND SENIORS IN SANTA BARBARA COUNTY**

WHEREAS, William E.G. Batty III, MSW has lived in Santa Barbara County for 19 years and has served as Executive Director of Family Service Agency for 18 ½ years. He has been a member of the KIDS and Adult and Aging Networks since he joined Family Service Agency in 1993, contributing significantly through his expertise as a non-profit leader and tireless advocate for children, families and seniors; and

WHEREAS, he made significant contributions to the development of the Partnership for Families Violence Prevention, the county-wide network of Family Resource Centers and the Pro-Youth Coalition. He was one of the founders of the Santa Barbara Response Network to address suicide, trauma and youth violence in Santa Barbara. He was also instrumental in building the Big Brothers Big Sisters program into a county-wide program and increase the number of at-risk youth served each year; and

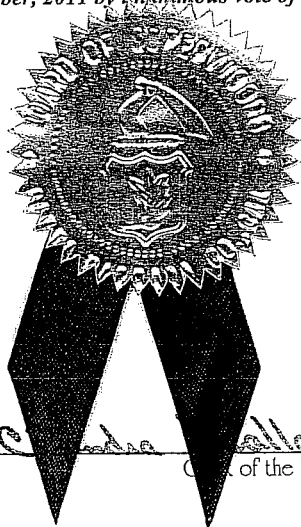
WHEREAS, in 2005 William E.G. Batty III, MSW was honored with the county-wide Child Friendly Award for his dedicated service to children, youth and families. He was instrumental in planning and helping to implement several, innovative children and youth serving initiatives in Santa Barbara County, such as the South County Anti-gang Coalition, the Multi-Agency Integrated Systems of Care and the Youth Violence Prevention Initiative; and

WHEREAS, through teamwork, networking, advocacy and coordination he has exemplified excellence in public/private collaborations. He was also instrumental in bringing the 2-1-1 Information and Referral system to Santa Barbara County; and

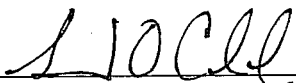
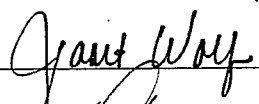
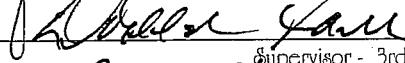
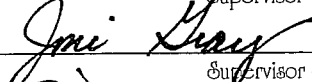
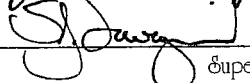
WHEREAS, William E.G. Batty III, MSW has been a tireless non-profit leader and spokesperson for his peers highlighting the contributions of the Santa Barbara County non-profit community.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors hereby recognizes the contributions that Mr. William E.G. Batty III, MSW has made to the overall well-being and quality of life of the citizens of Santa Barbara County.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California, this 15th day of November, 2011 by unanimous vote of all members present.



ATTEST:  Clerk of the Board

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