## RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

## RECOGNIZING ANGELICA MUÑOZ FOR HER DEDICATED SERVICE TO THE COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

WHEREAS, Angelica Muñoz began her career with the County of Santa Barbara in October 2003 as an Extra Help Juvenile Institutions Officer assigned to the Santa Maria Juvenile Justice Center; and through her dedication and hard work, she was later promoted to Deputy Probation Officer. From 2005 to 2020, Angelica dedicated herself to counseling, encouraging, and positively influencing youth as a Juvenile Institutions Officer, ensuring that the needs of youth were met with diligence and compassion; and

WHEREAS, Angelica upheld a philosophy of being firm yet fair, instilling in youth the values of accountability and responsibility and consistently served as a positive role model, holding herself and others to high standards. As a mentor, coach, mother, and teacher, Angelica's influence extended far beyond her official duties, leaving a lasting legacy in the lives of those she served; and

WHEREAS, in her role as a Deputy Probation Officer, Angelica also demonstrated dedication to serving adult clients in Lompoc and Santa Maria, connecting pretrial clients with vital resources to support their successful reintegration into the community; and

WHEREAS, Angelica's passion for service was deeply inspired by her father, a participant in the Amnesty Program formally known as the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986. His example of selfless dedication assisting undocumented community members achieve legal residency laid the foundation for Angelica's own commitment to community service; and

WHEREAS, as a lifelong resident of Santa Maria, Angelica's knowledge of the region, bilingual skills and cultural insight allowed her to build authentic, meaningful connections with clients, which played a vital role in the progress and success of those under her care;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara does hereby recognizes and commends Angelica Muñoz for her many years of devoted public service, expresses its heartfelt appreciation for her contributions, and extends its warmest congratulations on her retirement.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California, this 16th day of December, 2025 by unanimous vote of all members present.