

# COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

**RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING  
PLANNED PARENTHOOD OF SANTA BARBARA,  
VENTURA AND SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTIES  
UPON ITS 50<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY**

*WHEREAS, Planned Parenthood of Santa Barbara, Ventura, and San Luis Obispo Counties (PPSBVSLIO) was started in 1963 when a group of visionary and well-connected women in Santa Barbara saw the need for women to have access to contraception; and*

*WHEREAS, when PPSBVSLIO first opened 50 years ago, the birth control pill was relatively new and was controversial, but its founders knew that the pill would ultimately allow women to control the number and timing of their children; and*

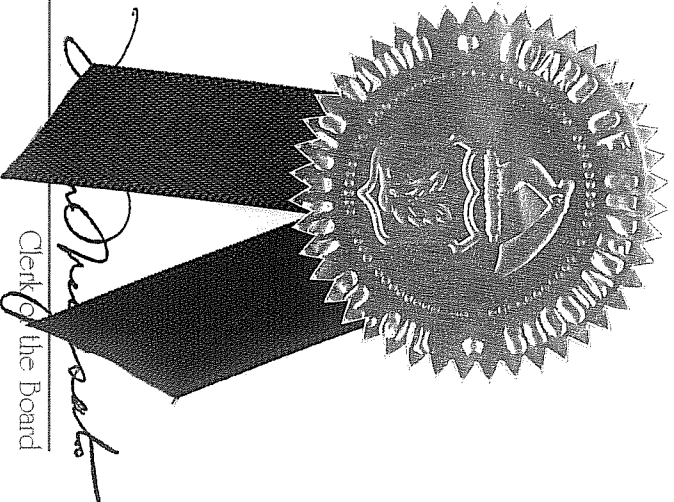
*WHEREAS, when PPSBVSLIO founded, the part-time executive director taught three sex education sessions in the community, and today its sex education classes reach more than 32,000 people each year; and*

*WHEREAS, PPSBVSLIO now has five health centers on the central coast, and two satellite health centers stretching from San Luis Obispo to Thousand Oaks. PPSBVSLIO now provides medical services to nearly 40,000 women, men and teens each year, and over the past 50 years, it has served more than 662,000 people; and*

*WHEREAS, its tiny clinic that opened on de la Guerra Street in 1964 ultimately helped untold numbers of women realize their dreams and plan their families.*

*NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors recognizes Planned Parenthood of Santa Barbara, Ventura and San Luis Obispo Counties upon its 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary.*

*PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California, this 7<sup>th</sup> day of October 2014, by a unanimous vote of all members present.*



ATTEST: \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Board

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Supervisor - 1st District

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Supervisor - 2nd District

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Supervisor - 3rd District

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Supervisor - 4th District

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Supervisor - 5th District