

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION HONORING MARY LOU HUNTER UPON HER RETIREMENT AFTER 23 YEARS OF DEDICATED SERVICE TO CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES

WHEREAS, Mary Lou Hunter has capably served the families of Santa Barbara County as a Senior Child Support Officer, acting as the emotional center of the Santa Maria office based on her grace under pressure, cheerful and authentic response to challenge, and absolute devotion to the program and her colleagues; and

WHEREAS, Mary Lou Hunter has always excelled at her acceptance of new ideas and procedures and thus served a key role in training her colleagues when the Department got its first computers decades ago; and

WHEREAS Mary Lou Hunter's passion for excellent public service has lead her to serve as the Child Support Ombudsperson and Compromise of Arrears liaison, where she always worked to achieve outcomes that are equitable and in the best interests of the children; and

WHEREAS Mary Lou Hunter has successfully raised two daughters and a son, who, together with her two grandchildren, would like to spend more time with her,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that Mary Lou Hunter be afforded the title of Retired Person, with all the privileges it entails, in grateful acknowledgement of her tireless service to Santa Barbara County.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California, this 24th day of March, 2009 by a unanimous vote of all members present.

SEAL

Clerk of the Board

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Supervisor - 2nd District

Supervisor - 3rd District

Supervisor - 4th District

Supervisor - 5th District