

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION HONORING
LILA SCHER FOR BEING HONORED AS THE
JEWISH FEDERATION OF GREATER SANTA BARBARA
2015 WOMAN OF VALOR

WHEREAS, Lila Scher is being honored by the Jewish Federation of Greater Santa Barbara as the 2015 Woman of Valor; and

WHEREAS, Lila Scher has been a steadfast pillar of philanthropy and community involvement in Santa Barbara for 22 years. She has been an active and committed supporter of the Jewish Federation of Greater Santa Barbara since the day she arrived here – contributing her time and talent as well as financial resources; and

WHEREAS, Lila and her late husband Joe funded the permanent library, in their name, at Federation's Bronfman Family JCC; and

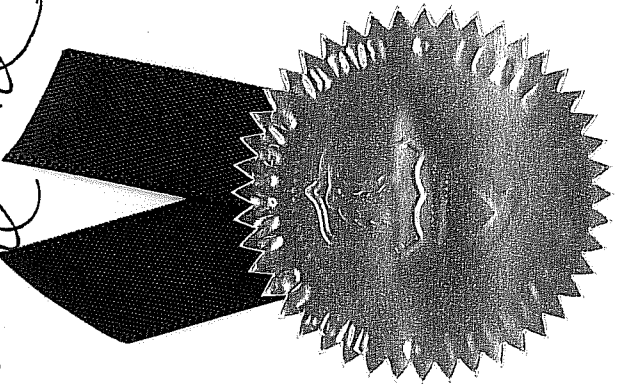
WHEREAS, the importance of giving back was ingrained in Lila as a young child, inspired and cultivated by the example set by her parents. As a young mother, she was very involved with the Mary Lawrence Chapter of the Jewish Children's Bureau in Chicago; and


WHEREAS, after moving to Santa Barbara in 1992, Lila spent years as a children's advocate with CASA and 15 years volunteering at the Music Academy of the West. Her passion for the arts has led her to other volunteer work in our community, serving on committees for the Santa Barbara Museum of Art and the Santa Barbara Symphony to name just two; and

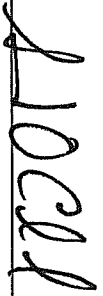
WHEREAS, an independent businesswoman and philanthropist even when that was unusual for women, Lila says she's never been fearful about taking chances: "Get out there. Don't be afraid to fail. You're always going to learn something."

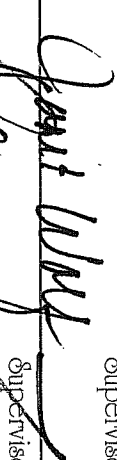
NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors honors Lila Scher for her many contributions and accomplishments and for being named the 2015 Woman of Valor.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California this 17th day of March 2015 by a unanimous vote of all members present.




ATTEST:

Clerk of the Board


Supervisor - 1st District


Supervisor - 2nd District


Supervisor - 3rd District


Supervisor - 4th District


Supervisor - 5th District