



# COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

## Resolution Proclaiming November as American Diabetes Month

**Whereas**, nearly 21 million children and adults in the United States have the disease of diabetes

**Whereas**, diabetes is the fifth deadliest disease in the United States, and

**Whereas**, diabetes, to this date, has no known cure, and

**Whereas**, diabetes is a chronic, debilitating and costly disease, and

**Whereas**, diabetes can be especially dangerous for women and their unborn children, and

**Whereas**, the Partners for Fit Youth, a collaborative of partnerships in Santa Barbara County, whose mission is to improve the health of youth and their families through education, intervention, outreach and environmental changes, to prevent chronic disease and promote healthy weight, and

**Whereas**, the Partners for Fit Youth bilingual promotional poster campaign to "Eat More Fruits and Vegetables" is being displayed in all City buses in Santa Barbara, Lompoc and Santa Maria, and

**Now, Therefore Be It Hereby Ordered and Resolved**, that this Board of Supervisors, County of Santa Barbara, State of California together with the Partners for Fit Youth Collaborative, proclaim November 2007 as American Diabetes Month, passed by unanimous vote this 6<sup>th</sup> day of November 2007.



ATTEST:

Clerk of the Board

Supervisor - 1st District

Supervisor - 2nd District

Supervisor - 3rd District

Supervisor - 4th District

Supervisor - 5th District