



COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

A RESOLUTION HONORING THE CITY OF SANTA BARBARA AIRPORT FOR CELEBRATING IT'S 70th ANNIVERSARY

WHEREAS, in 2011 Santa Barbara Airport celebrates its 70th anniversary providing excellent air transport service to our region; and

WHEREAS, Santa Barbara Airport is the busiest airport on the coast between San Jose and Los Angeles and the predominant airport in Santa Barbara, San Luis, and Ventura counties, and

WHEREAS, in 2010 the airport served 750,000 passengers; and

WHEREAS, about one-half of the Airport's passengers are travelling for business purposes and the Airport's air service options encourage tourism by providing the local hospitality industry opportunities to promote the region as a destination; and

WHEREAS, five airlines offer 31 daily departures and fly non-stop to 5 major hubs making it possible for passengers to travel to destinations worldwide boosting the total economic impact of the Airport to the region over one half billion dollars; and

WHEREAS, the Santa Barbara Airport is celebrating the Grand Opening of a new terminal campus featuring a new 72,000 square foot Spanish Colonial Revival terminal, relocation and rehabilitation of the 1942 terminal, new short term parking lot and roadway.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, hereby honors and commends the City of Santa Barbara Airport for seventy years of service to the local community.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors, Santa Barbara County, State of California this 7th day of June, 2011 by a unanimous vote of all members present.



ATTEST:

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