

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING OCTOBER ARTS & HUMANITIES MONTH AND RECOGNIZING JOSEF WOODARD & MONTECITO BANK & TRUST

WHEREAS, the month of October has been recognized as National Arts and Humanities Month by the White House and Congress for 30 years; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors formed the County Arts Commission in 1977 to support, foster, and encourage participation in and access to arts and culture for all county residents; and

WHEREAS, through programs such as Percent for Art, the County has furthered its commitment to cultivating dynamic and culturally relevant public spaces and opportunities for all; and

WHEREAS, through the Leadership in Arts award program, the Arts Commission honors civic partners who further promote creative expression through visionary thinking and exemplary dedication to advancing community well-being through the Arts; and

WHEREAS, for the 2023 Leadership in Arts Award, the Arts Commission commends Montecito Bank & Trust and Josef Woodard for their tremendous commitment to uplifting our diverse creative communities and local artists.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT HEARBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED, that this Board of Supervisors proclaims October as National Arts & Humanities Month, and encourages all community members to explore Santa Barbara County's vibrant arts and culture venues.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California, this 17th day of October 2023, by 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