

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA ESOLUTION PROCLAIMING OCTOBER AS CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING OCTOBER AS NATIONAL ARTS & HUMANITIES MONTH AND OCTOBER 7, 2011 AS CALIFORNIA ARTS DAY

WHEREAS, October has traditionally been designated as National Arts and Humanities Month with coast-to-coast collective recognition of the importance of culture in America; and designed to encourage all Americans to explore new facets of the arts and humanities in their lives, and to begin a lifelong habit of active participation in the arts and humanities; and

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

WHEREAS, through its public gallery exhibitions and dynamic partnerships with arts presenters and producers the Arts Commission provides outreach and education programs to communities throughout Santa Barbara County; and

WHEREAS, the County Arts Commission will be participating in the California Arts Council's designated California Arts Day on October 7th, to showcase the offerings and contributions of diverse regional arts and cultural organizations in the County; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors acknowledges the vibrant role of artists in enriching our quality of life.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors proclaims October 7^{th} , 2011 as California Arts Day, honoring artists and cultural organizations for the vital role they play in the building community, maintaining and preserving cultural traditions, fostering innovation and enhancing the economy.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California, this 4th day of October, 2011 by a unanimous vote of all members present.

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Clerk of the Board

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Supervisor - 4th District

Supervisor - 5th District