

# COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

## RESOLUTION HONORING KATHLEEN SHARP UPON RECEIVING THE ASSOCIATION OF WOMEN IN COMMUNICATION 2013 WOMAN OF ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

WHEREAS, Kathleen Sharp has been selected as a recipient of the Association of Women in Communication of Santa Barbara (AWC-SB) 2013 Woman of Achievement Award in recognition of her literary prowess, and contributions she has made to enhance society through writing and investigative reporting; and

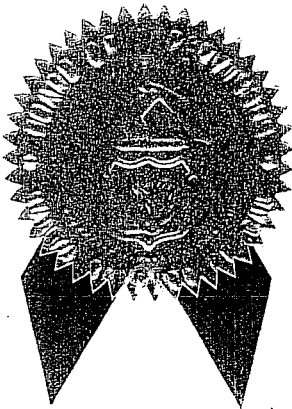
WHEREAS, Kathleen Sharp is honored as the award winning author of her acclaimed book, *Blood Medicine: The Man Who Blew the Whistle on One of the Deadliest Prescription Drugs Ever*, which is also being developed into a feature film; and

WHEREAS Kathleen Sharp has won six awards from the society of Professional Journalists, including a first place prize for investigative reporting. Her investigative reporting skills are evidenced by her biography of the legendary power couple, Mr. and Mr. Hollywood: Edie & Lew Wasserman and their Entertainment Empire; and

WHEREAS, having written for the New York Times, Parade, Vanity Fair, Fortune, etc. Kathleen Sharp is a highly esteemed writer whose works inform, educate, and inspire a vast audience. Kathleen is being honored today for her dedicated work as an author and journalist, and as an exemplary female in the field of communications.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors honors Marsha Bailey as the recipient of the Association of Women in Communication of Santa Barbara 2013 Women of Achievement Award and commends her for her efforts to improve the lives of all residents of Santa Barbara County.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California this 4th day of June, 2013 by unanimous vote of all members present.



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