



COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR DOLORES GIANNINI UPON HER RETIREMENT FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

WHEREAS, in January 1987, Dolores (Loli) Giannini began her 34-year-long career with Santa Barbara County as an Extra Help Interviewer I with Employment and Training, then as an Eligibility Worker with the Department of Social Services; and

WHEREAS, Loli promoted and throughout her job tenure held the positions of: Eligibility Worker I, II, III, Eligibility Supervisor, Career Employment Specialist Supervisor, Information System Coordinator and Department Business Specialist (DBS). Loli was an expert in multiple programs, including Food Stamps, General Relief, In Home Supportive Services, Foster Care, Medi-Cal, Aid to Families with Dependent Children (AFDC) and Greater Avenues for Independence (GAIN); and

WHEREAS, Loli was an asset to the Department in learning the "Work First" approach of the law change that came with Welfare Reform. As a supervisor she willingly accepted the responsibility of being the first to administer the Child Care program. Loli made a commitment to work with local child care providers and community advocates to simplify this new program; and

WHEREAS, Loli served as a major contributor to a myriad of projects, such as CWS/CMS Application project, Fiscal Foster Care statistical analysis workgroup, TDM Database project, CalWIN Conversion and Implementation, and countless others; and

WHEREAS, Loli has been a dedicated public servant, mentor to many across the department, generously investing her time and knowledge to foster employee growth, provide great customer service to clients and peers alike since the beginning of her journey. Her CalWIN and departmental knowledge, honored friendship and remarkable sense of humor, has left many wishing she would stay on forever; and

WHEREAS, Loli is now joyfully entering a time in her life where she can enjoy the continued success of her beloved children, Kate, Jill and Daniel and husband Dave, enjoying special times and building everlasting memories, as she cruises off in her retirement dream car listening to musical greats.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors recognizes her 30 years of service to the communities of Santa Barbara County and congratulates Dolores Giannini upon her retirement on January 22, 2021.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the county of Santa Barbara, State of California, this 8th day of December 2020 by a unanimous vote of all members present.



ATTEST: *Monique...*
Clerk of the Board

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