



COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

RESOLUTION CELEBRATING THE
Santa Barbara County Farm Bureau

CALIFORNIA

WHEREAS, the Santa Barbara County Farm Bureau (the Farm Bureau) was established in 1921, is a member of the California Farm Bureau Federation founded in 1919 is local, statewide, national, and international in its scope and influence; and

WHEREAS, the mission of the Farm Bureau is to represent, protect, and advance, the social and economic interests of farm families and communities; and

WHEREAS, this year the American Farm Bureau Federation recognized twenty five County Farm Bureaus across the nation with County Activity of Excellence Awards; and

WHEREAS, the Santa Barbara Farm Bureau received one of these awards for initiating the Blue Jacket Bonanza program which provides financial assistance to high school students unable to afford their own Future Farmers of America(FFA) jackets; and

WHEREAS, under this program student submit a description of what earning a blue jacket would mean to them; and

WHEREAS, the students' stories have inspired many in the Santa Barbara County community who have generously donated more than \$18,000 to the program;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors hereby Santa Barbara County Farm Bureau.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California this 14th day of February, 2012 by a unanimous vote of all members present.



ATTEST:

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Clerk of the Board

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