

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

RESOLUTION HONORING THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE REHABILITATION INSTITUTE OF SANTA BARBARA

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WHEREAS, Rehabilitation Institute at Santa Barbara was established in 1955 as a result of volunteer initiative as a non-profit acute care hospital that provides specialized inpatient, outpatient, and community-based programs for people with brain and spinal cord injury, stroke, neurological and orthopedic problems, and many other disabling conditions resulting from injury and illness; and

WHEREAS, Rehabilitation Institute at Santa Barbara believes that each patient is a unique human being who deserves individual treatment characterized by creativity, flexibility, and consistency, delivered with compassion and professional integrity; and

WHEREAS, Rehabilitation Institute at Santa Barbara has worked to support patients recovering from serious and traumatic injuries and to help them return to as independent a life as possible; and

WHEREAS, the County of Santa Barbara recognizes and appreciates the social, humanitarian, and medical contributions of Rehabilitation Institute to the residents of this community; and

WHEREAS, the Rehabilitation Institute at Santa Barbara is widely known as one of the most progressive rehabilitative facilities in our community and in the nation;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors honors Rehabilitation Institute at Santa Barbara upon its 50th Anniversary and commends the Board of Directors and staff for their continued dedication to excellence in medical rehabilitation for the residents of Santa Barbara County.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California this 13th day of December, 2005 by unanimous vote of all members present.

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