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# COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

## RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR KAREN GRAF AS THE 2010 CARPINTERIAN OF THE YEAR

*WHEREAS, Karen Graf has been honored by her friends and neighbors in the Carpinteria Valley by being named the 2010 Carpinterian of the Year; and*

*WHEREAS, Karen Graf has devoted her time and energies to improving the quality of life for the residents of the Carpinteria Valley; and*

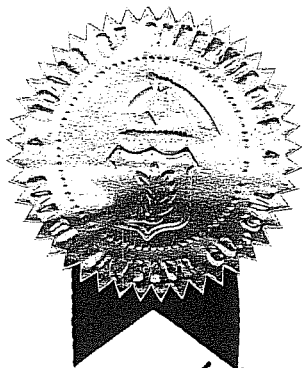
*WHEREAS, over the years Karen Graf has demonstrated true community spirit through her countless selfless contributions and her dedicated service with the Boys and Girls Club of Carpinteria, the local Avocado Festival, California Women for Agriculture, Faith Lutheran Church, Our Lady of Mount Carmel School, the Carpinteria Chamber annual banquet, and Girls Incorporated of Carpinteria; and*

*WHEREAS, Karen has been an outstanding leader and hands-on volunteer focusing her efforts on assisting with the Boys and Girls Club Annual Auction, serving as fundraising chairperson and committee chairperson for the Women for Agriculture Annual Flower and Plant Show, serving as a director of the Faith Lutheran Church Board and organizing the Church's Annual Faith Fish Fry, supporting the Kinderkirk booth at the Avocado Festival, serving as chairperson of Our Lady of Mount Carmel School's annual fundraiser, and offering her organizing talents and financial savvy as a director and events chairperson for Girls Inc. of Carpinteria; and*

*WHEREAS, Karen has been a role model in balancing the demands of being a wonderful mother, wife, friend and owner/manager of a local business along with her dedication to helping the children of the Carpinteria community and her devotion to numerous charitable organizations;*

*NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors honors and commends Karen Graf for her leadership and dedicated service to her community and congratulates her upon being named the "2010 Carpinterian of the Year."*

*Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of February, 2010 by unanimous vote of all members present.*



ATTEST:

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Clerk of the Board

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Supervisor - 1st District

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Supervisor - 2nd District

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Supervisor - 3rd District

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Supervisor - 4th District

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Supervisor - 5th District