

# COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

## A RESOLUTION HONORING THE VANDENBERG VILLAGE LIONS CLUB FOR EXCEPTIONAL COMMUNITY SERVICE

WHEREAS, the members of the Vandenberg Village Lions Club (VVLC) have been serving the local Vandenberg community since October 21, 1981 through Lions Club International, the largest service organization in the world; and

WHEREAS, VVLC supports local schools and youth through annual scholarships; concession sales at athletic events; the Student Speakers Contest; ROTC project hours; the Flag Day essay contest for 5<sup>th</sup> graders; and various donations and fundraisers; and

WHEREAS, VVLC funded and built Lions Cub Park in Vandenberg Village; and

WHEREAS, VVLC supports Vandenberg Air Force Base through care packages, letters, and postcards to our Troops; and raised the funds to replace the flag pole and flag at Crestview Elementary School; and

WHEREAS, VVLC promotes Sight and Hearing Conservation by recycling used glasses; providing eye exams and glasses for youth and adults in need; supporting the Southern California Lions Eye Institute, White Cane Days collections, Lions Sight Conservation Foundation of Santa Maria, Western Lions Ear Foundation, and the annual Santa Maria Noontimers Lions Annual Blind Golf Tournament at VV Country Club; and

WHEREAS, VVLC assists the Disabled, Elderly, Infirm, and Victims of Abuse through Project Lifesaver, City of Hope, Valley Haven Adult Day Care, North County Rape Crisis Center, Lompoc Hospital Foundation, Salvation Army, and Lions Project for Canine Companions for Independence; and

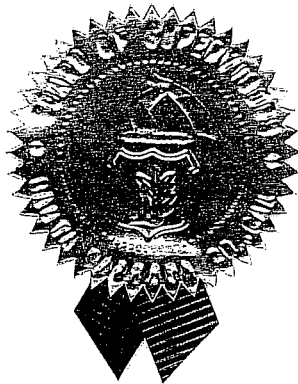
WHEREAS, VVLC supports community efforts through participation in the Lompoc Valley Festival Association - Spring Arts, Flowers Festival, and Old Towne Market; Vandenberg Village Library and Charlotte's Web Children's Library; and Lompoc Valley In Bloom; and

WHEREAS, VVLC participates with Lions Club International (LCI) in supporting disaster relief as well as local and international assistance;

WHEREAS, for 30 years, the Vandenberg Village Lions Club has successfully embodied the true spirit of community service;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, hereby honors and commends the Vandenberg Village Lions Club for their continued commitment to community service.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors, Santa Barbara County, State of California this 4<sup>th</sup> day of October by a unanimous vote of all members present.



ATTEST: Chandra Walker  
Clerk of the Board

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Janet Way Supervisor - 2nd District  
Debra Nash Supervisor - 3rd District  
Joni Gray Supervisor - 4th District  
St. Javari Supervisor - 5th District