

RESOLUTION HONORING THE LIFE OF DOROTHY V. DAVIS

WHEREAS, Dorothy Virginia Davis was born on December 25, 1944, in Harrisburg, Pennsylvania to Lillian and Carl, and grew up in a loving and nurturing home with her parents and five siblings; and

WHEREAS, Dorothy married U.S. Army Major Eugene Davis, and had three daughters - Karen, Angela, and Alisha, 8 grandchildren, and 7 great-grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Dorothy began her spiritual journey at an early age and remained active in the community with her church, New Hope Missionary Baptist Church, where she worked faithfully as an usher, Sunday School Teacher, Treasurer, and Church General Program Chair; and

WHEREAS, Dorothy retired from Federal Civilian Service, Comptroller Squadron on October 1, 2010, at Vandenberg AFB after 32 years as a Budget Analyst Supervisor; and

WHEREAS, Dorothy continued giving back as a member of American Legion Auxiliary Unit 56, VFW Auxiliary Post 8679, and was a longtime volunteer at both the Santa Maria VA Outpatient Clinic and Santa Barbara County Veterans Stand Down; and

WHEREAS, Dorothy was an active Foot Soldier and Drum Major For Justice for the Santa Maria-Lompoc Branch of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People for many years, serving on the Executive Committee from 2005 to 2022 in various capacities including Treasurer, Membership Chair, and Freedom Fund Chair.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors honors Dorothy Virginia Davis for her many contributions to her community and her country.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California this 11th day of February 2025, by unanimous vote of all members present.