



COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

**RESOLUTION HONORING STEVE LYONS
THE 2013 SANTA BARBARA FOUNDATION
MAN OF THE YEAR**

WHEREAS, Steve Lyons has been selected as the 2013 Man of the Year by the Santa Barbara Foundation in recognition of the significant contributions he has made to the quality of life in our community; and

WHEREAS, Steve Lyons has devoted his time and energies to countless nonprofits where he has provided guidance in the areas of governance, finance, development, investments and strategic planning; and

WHEREAS, Steve Lyons has worked diligently to help prevent child abuse in the community and to promote the welfare of children and families and as Board President of CALM, he contributed expertise in strategic planning and fundraising and organized the first-of-its-kind in California Home Raffle. He was one of the primary initiators and lead donors of the purchase of the Victoria Street building; and

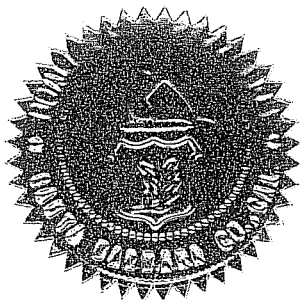
WHEREAS, Steve Lyons has dedicated himself to secure justice and fair treatment for everyone. He served as the Anti-Defamation League's first Board Chair and spearheaded the opening of the first Tri Counties ADL in 2003. He created the first Office Endowment Campaign and was awarded the ADL Community Service Award; and

WHEREAS, Steve Lyons worked tirelessly for the Family Service Agency, serving on the Board, and the Finance and Investment Committees; and

WHEREAS, Steve Lyons co-chaired a campaign to raise funds for the Rehabilitation Institute and donated more than \$1 million. He also participated in the campaign for Cottage Health Systems and donated \$1 million for the new Hospital;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors honors Steve Lyons as the recipient of the 2013 Santa Barbara Foundation Man of the Year Award and further commends him for a lifetime of outstanding leadership and dedicated service to our community.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California this 7th day of October, 2014 by a unanimous vote of all members present.



ATTEST:

Monique [Signature]
Clerk of the Board

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Supervisor - 1st District

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