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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION HONORING
WILLIAM A. HARO FOR 24 YEARS OF COUNTY SERVICE

WHEREAS, William "Bill" Haro began employment with the Santa Barbara County Public Works Department in the Transportation Division as a Maintenance Worker I in February 2000 and was promoted to a Maintenance Worker II shortly after in April 2001; and

WHEREAS, Bill transferred to Laguna County Sanitation District in October 2004 and continued as a Maintenance Worker II. He transformed the collection system maintenance program, thereby reducing and eliminating sewer system overflows and complying with the State Water Resources Control Board Statewide Waste Discharge Requirements, General Order for Sanitary Sewer Systems; and

WHEREAS, Bill was promoted to Maintenance Leader in July 2017 and continued to provide exceptional leadership and dedication, building up and training both collection system and operator staff at the treatment plant; and

WHEREAS, Bill's exemplary 20 plus years as a Board member at SEIU Local 620, where he served as both President and Vice-President, showcase his deep commitment to representing frontline employees with pride and dedication. His integral role in the bargaining team on multiple occasions demonstrates his advocacy for the well-being and improvement of conditions for all members of the Union; and

WHEREAS, Bill is respected by his staff, County leadership, local agency partners, community members, and all whom he comes in contact with. His 24 years of commitment, knowledge, mentoring, and experience, as well as his welcoming humor, will be greatly missed.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED AND RESOLVED, that the Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors recognizes and thanks William "Bill" Haro for his 24 years of public service to the citizens of Santa Barbara County and wishes him the best in his well-deserved retirement.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California, on this 12th day of March 2024, by unanimous vote of all members present.



ATTEST: _____
Clerk of the Board

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