

## **COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA**

RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 1-7, 2006 AS NATIONAL 4-H WEEK IN SANTA BARBARA COUNTY

## **CALIFORNIA**

WHEREAS, Social problems concern our nation and threaten its future, and;

WHEREAS, Connecting youth and adults to work together through volunteer service can bridge the differences that separate people and help solve social problems, and;

WHEREAS, We, the American people, have a tradition of philanthropy and volunteerism, and;

WHEREAS, 4-H is a community where young people learn leadership, citizenship and life skills, and;

WHEREAS, 6.5 million young people touch and enhance the lives of others during National 4-H Week and throughout the year by doing good, by giving where there is a need, rebuilding what had been torn down, teaching where there was a desire to learn, and inspiring those who had lost hope, and;

WHEREAS, U.C. Cooperative Extension, Santa Barbara County 4-H youth, volunteers and staff have joined to promote a week of national collaborative volunteer community service, and;

WHEREAS, 4-H has been helping youth and adults learn, grow, and work together for more than one hundred years, and;

WHEREAS, Volunteer community service is an investment in the future we all must share.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors proclaims THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 1-7, 2006 AS NATIONAL 4-H WEEK IN SANTA BARBARA COUNTY and urge our fellow citizens to observe this week by connecting with youth, friends, fellow employees and relatives; and with schools, community, and civic groups to engage in projects benefiting their community.

PASSED AND ADOPETED by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of October, 2006, by unanimous vote of all members present.

