

## COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR "TEAM SANTA BARBARA GREEN POWER" IN RECOGNITION OF THEIR EFFORTS IN THE RACE ACROSS AMERICA 2008

Whereas, On June 11<sup>th</sup>, 2008, Team Santa Barbara Green Power- a group of eight bicyclists representing Santa Barbara- will begin a 3,000 mile coast-to-coast race across the country, the Race Across America (RAAM) 2008; and

Whereas, The non-stop relay race, considered one of the longest and toughest bike races in the world, will begin in Oceanside, California, and end in Annapolis, Maryland; and

Whereas, Santa Barbara Green Power will promote sustainability through this highly publicized coast-to-coast race and proclaim the City and County of Santa Barbara as model regions of sustainable living; and

Whereas, Santa Barbara Green Power is sponsored by many local businesses and organizations; and

Whereas, This year's team consists of Dr. Don Flanigan (captain), Dr. George Bifano, Ed Allbritton, Brian Knowles, Stephen Knowles, Shaw Talley, Paolo Ciani, and Mark Luke.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors honor and commend Team Santa Barbara Green Power for promoting Santa Barbara County as a leader in the sustainability movement.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California this 27th day of May, 2008 by a unanimous vote of all Supervisors.

Clerk of the Board

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Supervisor - 2nd District

Supervisor - 3rd District

Supervisor - 4th District

Supervisor - 5th District