

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

RESOLUTION CELEBRATING THE 2nd ANNIVERSARY OF PACIFICA GRADUATE INSTITUTE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

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WHEREAS, Pacifica Graduate Institute (PGI) Alumni Association was established in 2011 and with over 3745 members is celebrating two years of providing an educational and charitable organization that supports PGI alumni and the wider community in the pursuit of developing their intellectual, spiritual, altruistic, and professional capabilities; and

WHEREAS, the mission of Pacifica Graduate Institute Alumni Association is to provide opportunities to stimulate interest and learning among PGI alumni and the general public in various areas of study, including, in particular, those pursued by PGI alumni, such as psychology, the humanities, and mythological studies; and

WHEREAS, Pacifica Graduate Institute Alumni Association adheres to a set of core beliefs and principles that promote idea sharing, personal growth, professional development, and public service opportunities through fostering relationships and strengthening connections among PGI alumni and the community at large through programs and activities including: structured mentoring and "buddy" programs and support networks among PGI alumni to help them develop professionally; merit and/or need-based scholarship programs for students attending PGI; public discussion groups, forums, panels, and lectures, including community writer's symposiums, alumni film series, and mental health seminars; events centered around charitable and/or educational activities; and community outreach programs (particularly in under-served areas), including junior high/high school student mentoring and tutorial programs; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors honors Pacifica Graduate Institute Alumni Association upon its 2nd anniversary and further commends Pacifica Graduate Institute Founder and Chancellor Stephen Aizenstat and PGIAA Director of Alumni Relations Dianne Travis-Teague for their commitment to higher education: animae mundi colendae gratia.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California this 5th day of November, 2013 by a unanimous vote of all members present.

Clerk of the Board

Supervisor - 1st District

2nd District

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Supervisor - 4th District

Supervisor - 5th District