



COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR
SUSAN MCKENZIE, OFFICE OF COUNTY COUNSEL
EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH, JUNE 2023

WHEREAS, Senior Deputy Susan McKenzie exemplifies the County's organizational values of Accountability, Customer Focus, Equity & Inclusion, Innovation, Trust, and Ethics; and

WHEREAS, Ms. McKenzie models the transformative behaviors of Collaborative Problem Solving, Alignment with the County's Vision, Risk Taking, Data-Driven Decision Making, and Strategic Thinking; and

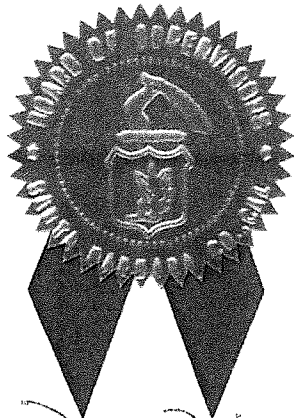
WHEREAS, Ms. McKenzie has a diverse portfolio of clients including: the Santa Barbara County Association of Governments and Public Works Transportation; the Office of Emergency Services, working on every disaster since the Refugio Oil Spill, including the Thomas Fire and 1/9 Debris Flow; and, Public Health, working as an integral part of the County's COVID-19 response and, despite long hours, she always maintained a positive, calm, and professional demeanor; and


WHEREAS, before joining County Counsel's Office in 2015, Ms. McKenzie worked for the Navy as Civilian Contract Specialist, managing multi-million-dollar federal contracts. The County has benefited from her experience as we navigate complex federal contracting requirements; and


WHEREAS, Ms. McKenzie always assists her colleagues, and spends time gardening, collecting and reading as many books as possible, and following all things Star Trek and Star Wars; and


NOW THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED AND ORDERED that the Board of Supervisors recognizes Susan McKenzie as the employee of the month for June 2023.


PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California this 6th day of June, 2023 by the unanimous vote of the members present.





ATTEST: 
Clerk of the Board


Supervisor - 1st District


Supervisor - 2nd District


Supervisor - 3rd District


Supervisor - 4th District


Supervisor - 5th District