

# COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

## **RESOLUTION HONORING FUTURE LEADERS OF AMERICA FOR THEIR DEDICATED EFFORT TO FOSTER EDUCATION AND PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT OPPORTUNITIES AMONG YOUTH IN SANTA BARBARA AND OTHER COUNTIES**

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**Whereas**, Since incorporating in January, 1985, Future Leaders of America has made great strides to achieve its mission of promoting personal development for Latino Youth by fostering a greater awareness and participation in responsible leadership in a global and democratic society; and

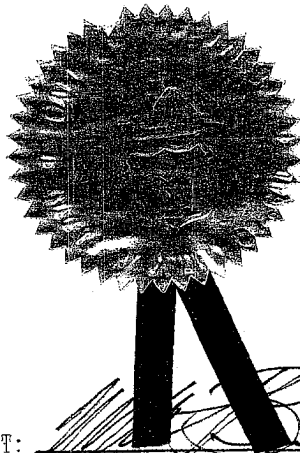
**Whereas**, Future Leaders of America is an organization dedicated to improving the lives of youth throughout Santa Barbara County with participation from students in Santa Barbara, Goleta, Santa Maria, the Santa Ynez Valley, Lompoc, Carpinteria, Guadalupe and Orcutt communities; and

**Whereas**, Future Leaders of America's, community-based programs broaden the social and educational horizons of Latino youth by focusing on opportunities that encourage them to attain their highest potential, including a peer-to-peer mentorship model that helps students increase academic achievement, engage in their communities, and participate in a broad range of leadership and service learning activities; and

**Whereas**, Future Leaders of America students work together to develop and implement monthly projects that address critical issues affecting the students' communities and schools, such as prevention of drug and alcohol abuse, HIV/AIDS and sexual education and awareness and preparation for college.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT ORDERED AND RESOLVED**, that the Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors honors and commends Future Leaders of America, Inc. for its commitment to develop leadership qualities within our communities' youth and for their efforts to promote civic responsibility.

*Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California this 17th day of January, 2006 by a unanimous vote of all members present.*



ATTEST:

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Clerk of the Board

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