

## COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CLUTION OF COMMENDATION CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR HARRY MIRA UPON HIS RETIREMENT

WHEREAS, Harry Mira was born and raised in Santa Barbara, entering public service with the County of Santa Barbara in 1976 as an Extra Help Maintenance Worker in the Santa Barbara Courthouse; and

WHEREAS, Harry was offered and accepted the position of Maintenance Electrician in 1977 in the Courthouse shop and in this position he spent 10 years learning the details of the setup and operation of the downtown buildings; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his routine duties, he participated in preparation for the Visit of the Queen of England, yearly setup of the Courthouse for Fiesta, setup and monitoring during the night of exterior lighting for elections and spent weeks installing cables in ceilings, walls, boiler rooms and pipe-chases as his part of the installation of Wang computers in the Administration Building and Engineering Building, as well as the Courthouse and the Muni Court; and

WHEREAS, Harry was promoted to Building Maintenance Supervisor in 1987 with responsibility for the maintenance and staff direction at the County Hospital and County Jail on the Calle Real campus where he spent 14 years further enhancing his knowledge of South County infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, in 2001 his in-depth knowledge and experience led to his promotion to his current position as Facilities Supervisor for all South County buildings and maintenance shops; and

WHEREAS, Harry's loyalty and dedication to the County of Santa Barbara for the past 31 years of service have contributed significantly to the maintenance and upkeep of County facilities and is greatly appreciated.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors honors and commends Harry Mira for dedicated service to the employees and citizens of this County.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California this 4th day of December, 2007, by unanimous vote of the members present.

5th District

ATITEST: Clerk of the Doard