

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING FEBRUARY 4, 2002 AS NATIONAL GIRLS AND WOMEN IN SPORTS DAY IN SANTA BARBARA COUNTY **CALIFORNIA**

WHEREAS, National Girls and Women in Sports Day was created in 1987 by Congress to honor the achievements of women and girls and in particular to remember Flo Hyman, Olympic Volleyball Player, who passed away suddenly of a heart attack while playing in Japan; and

WHEREAS, this event has evolved into a day to remember and recognize the past accomplishments of women and girls in sports, their current athletic achievements, the positive influence of sports participation for all, and the continuing struggle for equality and access for women in sports; and

WHEREAS, the Santa Barbara Athletic Roundtable and UCSB have joined together to recognize the achievement of our local girls and women in sports; and

WHEREAS, nationally this day is organized by the Women in Sports Foundation, Girl Scouts of the USA, Girls Incorporated, the National Association for Girls and Women in Sport, and the YMCA of the USA; and

WHEREAS, in celebration of the 15th Annual National Girls and Women in Sports Day and the 30th anniversary of Title IX, which opened the doors to so many women and girls to participate in sports, on February 4, 2002 Saskia Weber, National Team Member and Professional Soccer Player, will speak on the challenges and adversity she has faced as a female athlete;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors proclaims February 4, 2002 as National Girls and Women in Sports Day in Santa Barbara County.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California this 5th day of February, 2002 by a unanimous vote of all members present.

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