

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING MAY 2007
AS WATER AWARENESS MONTH
IN THE COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

CALIFORNIA

WHEREAS, water is California's most precious resource with our health, quality of life and economic well-being dependent on safe and reliable sources of water; and

WHEREAS, May 2007 is Water Awareness Month throughout California and organizations in Santa Barbara County are joining others throughout the State to promote activities that educate the public about water quality and water management programs to promote this years' theme of "use water wisely and keep it clean – It's a way of life"; and


WHEREAS, the efficient use of our county's water resources is a community priority and the County of Santa Barbara, through the Public Works Department, is working cooperatively with other local jurisdictions to conserve and protect our water supplies through the development of an Integrated Regional Water Management Plan; and

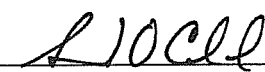
WHEREAS, the County of Santa Barbara, through its Project Clean Water program, is working to implement its Storm Water Management Plan that includes public education, outreach and participation; illicit discharge detection and elimination; management of construction and post construction site runoff and other pollution prevention strategies that will work to improve the quality of water entering our creeks and ocean.

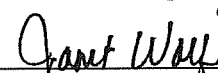
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors proclaims May 2007 as Water Awareness Month in Santa Barbara County, and urges all residents to join local water agencies and community organizations in the effort to educate and enact water quality measures throughout our county.

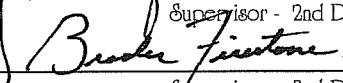
PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California, this 1st day of May 2007 by a unanimous vote of all members present.

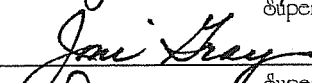


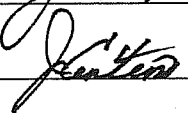
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Clerk of the Board


Supervisor - 1st District


Supervisor - 2nd District


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Supervisor - 5th District