



COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING OCTOBER 4, 2023 AS NATIONAL BIKE & WALK TO SCHOOL DAY

Whereas, promoting active and sustainable modes of transportation is essential for the health and well-being of our youth; and

Whereas, National Bike & Walk to School Day encourages students to engage in physical activity and reduce their carbon footprint by walking or biking to school; and

Whereas, the Safe Routes to School Program, as established by the U.S. Department of Transportation, plays a pivotal role in creating safe environments for students to walk and bike to school by providing infrastructure improvements, educational programs, and community engagement; and

Whereas, the benefits of walking and biking to school include improved physical fitness, reduced traffic congestion, and increased community connectedness; and

Whereas, National Bike & Walk to School Day fosters a sense of independence and responsibility in students as they navigate their neighborhoods safely; and

Whereas, celebrating National Bike & Walk to School Day on October 4, 2023, aligns with our commitment to creating a more sustainable and active future for our youth.

Now, therefore, be it ordered and resolved, that this Board of Supervisors supports the designation of October 4, 2023, as National Bike & Walk to School Day, and we encourage schools, parents, and communities to participate in this meaningful event to promote the health and well-being of our students and the environment.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California, this October 3, 2023, by a unanimous vote of all members present.



ATTEST: _____
Clerk of the Board

Supervisor - 1st District

Supervisor - 2nd District

Supervisor - 3rd District

Supervisor - 4th District

Supervisor - 5th District