RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA IN SUPPORT OF THE PASSAGE OF STATEWIDE **BALLOT PROPOSITION 12**

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WHEREAS, confining farm animals to small cages threatens human health and food safety by allowing pathogens to quickly spread among animals; and

WHEREAS, keeping animals who supply food in small and confined cages is considered cruel and unnecessary; and

WHEREAS, California voters passed Proposition 2, the Standards for Confining Farm Animals ballot measure in 2008 with 63.5% voting yes, creating a new state statute that prohibits the confinement of farm animals in a manner that does not allow them to turn around freely, lie down, stand up, and fully extend their limbs; and

WHEREAS, Proposition 12, the Farm Animal Confinement Initiative, seeks to clarify the protections laid out in Proposition 2 and has been placed on the November 6th General Election ballot; and

WHEREAS, Proposition 12 would ban the sale of meat and eggs from calves raised for yeal, breeding pigs, and egg-laying hens confined in areas below a specific number of square feet and would make the California Department of Food and Agriculture and the California Department of Public Health responsible for the measure's implementation; and

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS RESOLVED, that the County of Santa Barbara supports and endorses Proposition 12 on the November 6th General Election statewide ballot, and hereby adopts this resolution on the 18th day of September, 2018.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Sa
Barbara at a regular meeting held on this 18 th day of September, 2018 by the following vote:
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ATTEST: MONA MIYASATO	APPROVED AS TO FORM: MICHAEL C. GHIZZONI	
CLERK OF THE BOARD	COUNTY COUNSEL	
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Exhibit A

Ordinance of the Board of Supervisors Adding Section 2-10.9A to the Santa Barbara County Code to Create the County of Santa Barbara Citizens' Independent Redistricting Commission