

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

**RESOLUTION HONORING
THE SANTA YNEZ VALLEY THERAPEUTIC RIDING PROGRAM
AS THE THIRD DISTRICT
COMMISSION FOR WOMEN SERVICE AWARD RECIPIENT**

WHEREAS, for 28 years, the Santa Ynez Valley Therapeutic Riding Program has provided equine assisted activities to children and adults with physical, cognitive, social, emotional or other life challenges, regardless of their ability to pay; and

WHEREAS, due to their professionalism and inclusive programs, the Santa Ynez Valley Therapeutic Riding Program has been granted the highest national rating through PATH (Professional Association of Therapeutic Horsemanship); and

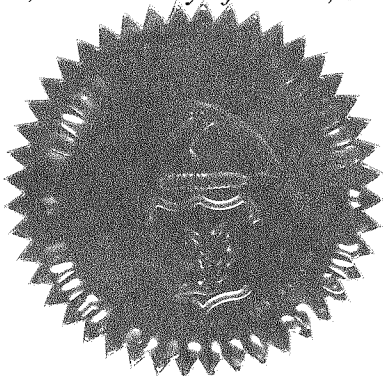
WHEREAS, through the healing power of horses, the Santa Ynez Valley Therapeutic Riding Program spreads joy and hope to local people with special needs; and

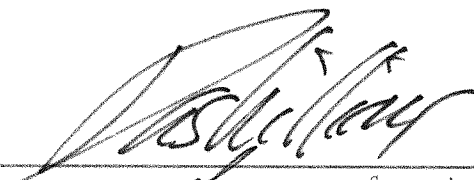
WHEREAS, the Santa Ynez Valley Therapeutic Riding Program serves over 70 students each week and more than 300 children and adults annually with special needs in their riding, veteran and mental health programs; and

WHEREAS, the Santa Ynez Valley Therapeutic Riding Program was founded and is currently run by thoughtful women volunteers who exemplify our valley's agricultural, caring roots.


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County declares the Santa Ynez Valley Therapeutic Riding Program, as the Third District Commission for Women Service Award Recipient.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California, this 19th day of March, 2019, by a unanimous vote of all members present.

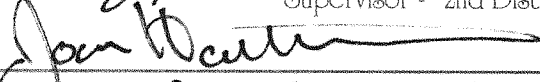





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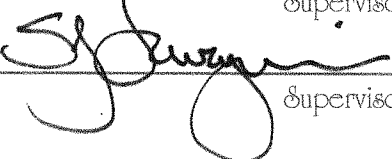
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Supervisor - 4th District



Supervisor - 5th District

ATTEST: 
Clerk of the Board