



COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR HAROLD POWELL OF ADVANCED ENVIRONMENTS FOR AN ENERGY-EFFICIENT RESIDENTIAL BUILDING

WHEREAS, Advanced Environments designed and remodeled an existing residence at 2695 Foothill Road in Santa Barbara to meet Target 3 of the Innovative Building Review Program, the highest level of the program reserved for those projects that demonstrate an exceptionally high level of energy efficiency through innovative designs and technologies; and

WHEREAS, Advanced Environments' residential building incorporates several energy-efficient techniques, such as passive solar heating design, photovoltaic system, solar water heating, blown-in insulation in walls and ceiling, formaldehyde-free particle board for cabinetry, and zero VOC paints; and

WHEREAS, Advanced Environments' residential building surpasses California's Energy-Efficient Standards by 41%, lowering the rate of energy consumption by approximately 12,000 kWh's per year and reducing the building's energy bills by approximately \$1,700 per year; and

WHEREAS, the County's Innovative Building Review Committee has determined Advanced Environments' residential building to demonstrate an exceptionally high level of energy efficiency;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors, honors Advanced Environments for their residential building and further commends them for the leadership in energy-efficient building design.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California, this 12th day of May, 2009.

Clerk of the Board

Supervisor - 1st District

Supervisor - 2nd District

Supervisor - 3rd District

Supervisor 4th District

Supervisor - 5th District