

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA
CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING SEPTEMBER AS ROTARY MONTH OF SERVICE IN SANTA BARBARA COUNTY

WHEREAS, Rotary International is a global philanthropic organization which cares very deeply about serving communities across the world where needed; and

WHEREAS, Rotary International engages in community service, charitable work, fundraising, and organizing programs to support underprivileged population; and

WHEREAS, Santa Barbara County is a part of Rotary District 5240, which comprises 68 Rotary Clubs of about 3,000 members in four counties: Kern County, San Luis Obispo County, Santa Barbara County, and Ventura County; and

WHEREAS, Rotary International has officially adopted seven areas of focus: promoting peace and conflict resolution; disease prevention; providing clean water, sanitation, and hygiene; maternal and child health; supporting education and literacy; community and economic development; and protecting the environment; and

WHEREAS, Rotary International plays a vital role in community development by providing resources and services to support local community projects, such as building playgrounds; and

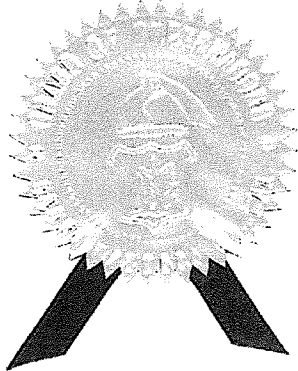
WHEREAS, Rotary International engages in various charitable works, such as donating to food banks, homeless shelters, and disaster relief efforts; and

WHEREAS, Rotary International focuses on developing the skills and talents of young people by providing mentoring, leadership training, and scholarship programs as well as networking opportunities for members where they can interact with other professionals and community leaders, build relationships, and expand their social and professional networks; and

WHEREAS, Rotary International encourages civic engagement by promoting volunteering and community service.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that September is recognized as Rotary Month of Service in Santa Barbara County, a month to engage in significant contributions to the development of our communities.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California, this 10th day of September, 2024, by unanimous vote of all members present.



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