



COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING MAY 4 - MAY 10, 2008 AS ELKS YOUTH WEEK

WHEREAS, the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks has designated the week of May 4 - 10, 2008 as Elks Youth Week to honor America's junior citizens for their accomplishments, and to give fitting recognition of their services to our Community, State and our Nation; and

WHEREAS, Santa Maria Elks Lodge #1538 will sponsor an observance during that week in tribute to the junior citizens of this community; and

WHEREAS, no event could be more deserving of our support and participation than one dedicated to these young people who represent the nation's greatest resource, and who in the years ahead will assume the responsibility for the advancement of our free society; and

WHEREAS, our youth need the guidance, inspiration and encouragement which we alone can give in order to help develop those qualities of character essential for future leadership; and go forth to serve America; and

WHEREAS, to achieve this worthy objective we should demonstrate our partnership with youth and our understanding of their hopes, aspirations and a sincere willingness to help prepare them in every way for the responsibilities and opportunities of citizenship.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors, County of Santa Barbara, State of California, proclaim May 4 - May 10 as "Elks Youth Week" in Santa Barbara County. Passed and adopted this 6th day of May 2008.



ATTEST:

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Clerk of the Board

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