

# COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

**RESOLUTION COMMENDING  
THE SANTA BARBARA SYMPHONY  
ORCHESTRA ASSOCIATION  
ON ITS 60<sup>th</sup> YEAR ANNIVERSARY**

*WHEREAS, the Santa Barbara Symphony Orchestra Association was founded in December 1953 in response to community members' desire to have a symphony orchestra in Santa Barbara; and*

*WHEREAS, from its beginnings, the mission of the Santa Barbara Symphony Orchestra Association was to promote quality symphonic music through a permanent resident professional orchestra performing classical, pops, and youth concerts; and*

*WHEREAS, the Santa Barbara Symphony Orchestra Association is comprised of the highest caliber of professional musicians and has a history of outstanding conductors and international guest artists; and*

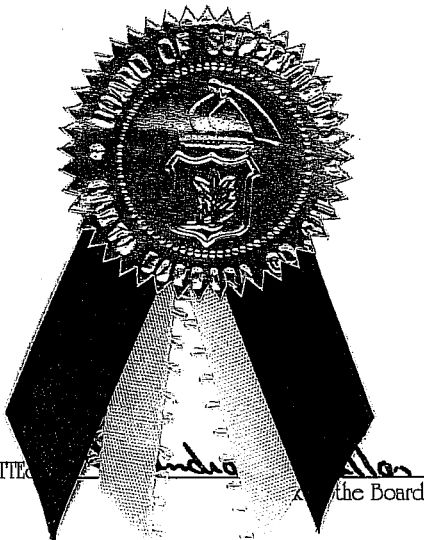
*WHEREAS, the Santa Barbara Symphony Orchestra Association is dedicated to musical enrichment and education activities in order to inspire and foster a love for music throughout Santa Barbara County, including an array of programs such as the Music Van, Concerts for Young People, Musical Mentors and the Santa Barbara Youth Symphony programs, including String Workshop and Junior Strings, prepare young musicians for ensemble playing and performance opportunities; and*

*WHEREAS, the Santa Barbara Symphony Orchestra Association is inclusive of all people by making Community Engagement Passes available to those who otherwise could not afford to attend; and*

*WHEREAS, the Santa Barbara Symphony Orchestra Association's mission honors the essential role of a symphony orchestra by being a meaningful partner within the community and preserving the vibrant sounds of symphonic music in our culture.*

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED** that this Board of Supervisors celebrates the 60<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Santa Barbara Symphony Orchestra Association.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of April 2012 by a unanimous vote of all members present.



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