



# COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR  
DAVID SILVA, SENIOR DEPUTY PROBATION OFFICER  
FOR OVER 26 YEARS OF DEDICATED SERVICE  
TO THE COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA AND  
SERVICE TO THE JUSTICE SYSTEM

WHEREAS, David Silva was born and raised in Santa Maria, California. He attended Allan Hancock College, earning an Associate in Arts degree in Liberal Arts and a Bachelors of Arts degree in Political Science from California Polytechnical State University, San Luis Obispo; and

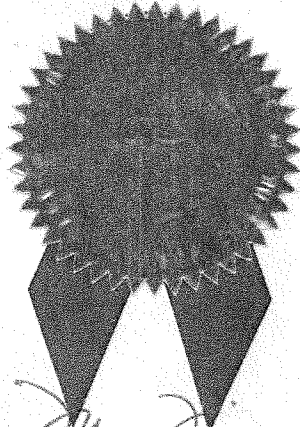
WHEREAS, he began his career in the field of Probation as an intern with the San Luis Obispo County Probation Department. In February 1997, he was hired by the Santa Barbara County Probation Department as a Juvenile Institutions Officer assigned to the Los Prietos Boys Camp, promoting to a Senior Juvenile Institutions Officer in August 1999. In 2001, he was promoted to Deputy Probation Officer assigned to Adult Services in Lompoc. In April 2002, he was promoted to Supervising Juvenile Institutions Officer, which was reclassified to Senior Deputy Probation Officer in 2007. Senior Deputy Probation Officer Silva was assigned to the Santa Maria Juvenile Court Services Unit, Adult Supervision Unit in Lompoc, the Probation Report and Resource Center located in Santa Maria, the Los Prietos Boys Camp, and his career concluded at the Juvenile Justice Center formerly known as the juvenile hall; and

WHEREAS, Senior Deputy Probation Officer David Silva, throughout his career, built fellowships with partner agencies and Community Based Organizations, and worked with numerous youth and adults, many of which have benefitted from his passion for affecting change. Additionally, he mentored and trained many officers, positively impacting their professional development; and

WHEREAS, Senior Deputy Probation Officer Silva is looking forward to spending time with his wife Monda, who also works for the Probation Department, and their children, Adan and Tatiana. His retirement plans include enjoying time with his family, traveling with his wife and their dogs, and working on home improvement projects. His hobbies include RV camping, driving around in his FJ Cruiser, and wood working.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED AND RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors recognize Senior Deputy Probation Officer David Silva, for over 26 years of dedicated service to the field of Probation, and extend to him best wishes for a fulfilling, enjoyable, and rewarding retirement.

PASSED AND ADOPTED, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California this 27<sup>TH</sup> day of June 2023 by the unanimous vote of all members present.



ATTEST: *Monda [Signature]*  
Clerk of the Board

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Supervisor - 1st District

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Supervisor - 2nd District

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Supervisor - 3rd District

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Supervisor - 4th District

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Supervisor - 5th District