



COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

**RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING MAY 18, 2016 AS
"HONOR A HERO-HIRE A VETERAN DAY"
IN THE COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA**

WHEREAS, the people of our community have great appreciation and admiration for the many local men and women who served their country in the armed forces to protect and preserve the freedoms enjoyed by our community and by all Americans; and

WHEREAS, in war, international conflicts and peacekeeping missions, men and women have been wounded, taken as Prisoners and died in the line of duty; and

WHEREAS, veterans possess a wide variety of valuable job qualifications and skills, including experience, maturity, leadership and loyalty, that make them ideal candidates for employment; and

WHEREAS, Local Veterans Employment Representatives, Disabled Veteran Outreach Program Representatives, and other Employment Development Department staff are committed to ensuring that veterans receive the services and programs to which they are entitled, and to promoting employer interest in hiring veterans;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara that they hereby proclaim May 18, 2016 as "HONOR A HERO-HIRE A VETERAN DAY" in Santa Barbara County and urge all local employers, organized labor, veteran organizations, and other government leaders to support this worthy campaign to increase employment opportunities for the men and women who have faithfully served our nation in the military.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California, on this 10th day of May, 2016, by unanimous vote of all members present.



ATTEST:

Sharon Prigato
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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