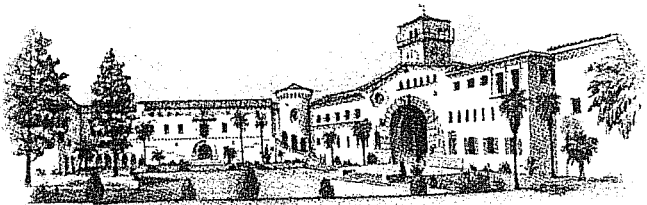


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# COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

## RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR MARIO GUERRERO EVANGELISTA, SENIOR DEPUTY PROBATION OFFICER FOR OVER 20 YEARS OF DEDICATED SERVICE TO THE COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

WHEREAS, Mario Guerrero Evangelista is a graduate of California Polytechnic University, San Luis Obispo, having earned a Bachelor of Arts degree in Sociology, and

WHEREAS, Mario served as Director of Central Coast Headways, a local drug and alcohol program, and

WHEREAS, Mario began his career with Santa Barbara County as a Deputy Probation Officer on November 11, 1988, accepting a position in the Adult Division's medium supervision caseload in Santa Maria, and

WHEREAS, Officer Evangelista transferred to the Juvenile Division in 1990, where he was assigned to a variety of challenging positions throughout the years, including investigation, maximum supervision, gang intervention, school based officer, and as part of the Challenge Grant he held the position of family caseload officer, and

WHEREAS, Officer Evangelista began his most rewarding work with high risk and need youth and their families in the County's, then newly developed, Multi Agency Integrated System of Care, (MISC) Program, and

WHEREAS, Officer Evangelista was promoted to Deputy Probation Officer, Senior, on March 24, 1997, continuing to expand and improve the collaborative and strength-based team approach to juvenile rehabilitation, and

WHEREAS, Senior Deputy Probation Officer Evangelista dedicated the next 12 years of his career to the youth and families of Santa Barbara County, providing superior service and guidance to youth and families involved in the Children's System of Care network, as one of the first Probation Care Coordinators and Assessors and,

WHEREAS, Officer Evangelista has been a long standing member of the California Probation, Parole, and Correctional Association and has served as a Board Member of the Santa Barbara County Chapter, and

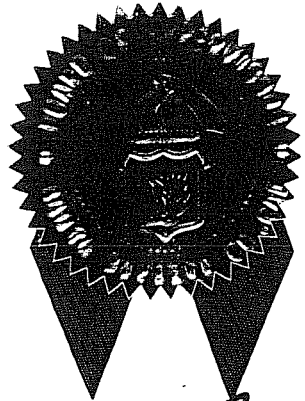
WHEREAS, Officer Evangelista participated in numerous Career Days and other school based activities throughout the Santa Maria Valley, acting as a positive role model encouraging law abiding behavior, and future aspirations to hundreds of students, and

WHEREAS, Mario is a devoted husband to Karen, proud father to Inez and Lilliana, and doting grandfather to Anniya, and

WHEREAS, Mario now enters a new chapter in his life, focusing his ever-caring mindset on the health and happiness of his family and remaining involved in the local community, and;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED AND RESOLVED, that this Board of Supervisors recognizes Mario Guerrero Evangelista for over 20 years of distinguished service to the Probation Department and the youth of Santa Barbara County. We wish Mario and his family many adventures, much happiness, and good health in the coming years.

PASSED AND ADOPTED, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California this 28th day of April, 2009 by unanimous vote of all members present.



ATTEST:

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Clerk of the Board

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Supervisor - 1st District

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