



COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA
RESOLUTION IN APPRECIATION OF
LINDA KROP FOR HER SERVICE
ON BEHALF OF THE COMMUNITY

CALIFORNIA

WHEREAS, Linda Krop was introduced at an early age to civic affairs when she walked precincts with her mother who was a active member of the League of Women Voters, and

WHEREAS, Linda Krop determined to pursue a career in environmental activism as a student at the University of California at Santa Barbara, based on her involvement in issues such as the Point Conception LNG Project and the Diablo Canyon Nuclear Power Plant, and

WHEREAS, Linda Krop has worked as an attorney at the Legal Aid Foundation and the Environmental Defense Center, where she has served as Chief Counsel since 1999, and

WHEREAS, Linda Krop represented Save Elwood Shores and the Santa Barbara Audubon Society in the successful community effort to permanently preserve the Ellwood Mesa, as well as the Carpinteria Bluffs and the East-West Ranch, and

WHEREAS, Linda Krop was instrumental in protecting the County of Santa Barbara community from various oil and gas development threats, including the Mobil Clearview project next to Ellwood, blocking the extension of 37 federal offshore oil and gas leases, stopping Chevron's tankering of oil produced offshore Santa Barbara County, and supported the County's efforts to ensure consolidation of coastal oil and gas facilities and to require transportation of oil by pipeline, and

WHEREAS, Linda Krop represented the Friends of the Sedgwick Reserve in efforts to protect the 6,000 acre Sedgwick Ranch, leading to the establishment of the Sedgwick Reserve as a part of the University of California Natural Reserve System, and

WHEREAS, Linda Krop was a founding member of the Gaviota Coast Conservancy, and currently represents the conservation community on the Channel Islands National Marine Sanctuary Advisory Council, and will be honored as an Outstanding Member of the League of Women Voters at its Annual Garden Party on April 30, 2006,

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors honors Linda Krop for her significant contributions to our community.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California this 18th day of April, 2006 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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 Supervisor ~ 2nd District

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 Supervisor ~ 3rd District

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 Supervisor ~ 4th District

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 Supervisor ~ 5th District