## RESOLUTION OF RECOGNITION NATIONAL PEACE OFFICERS' WEEK

WHEREAS, National Peace Officers' week represents a period of time recognizing Peace Officers across the United States who have worked devotedly and selflessly on behalf of the people of this Nation, our State and Santa Barbara County, regardless of the peril, hazards or challenges they face; and

WHEREAS, Sheriff's Deputies of the Santa Barbara Sheriff's Office continue to safeguard the lives and property of the people of Santa Barbara County, and are highly regarded professionals working in concert with other local criminal justice and public safety entities; and

WHEREAS, by the enforcement of our laws, these same deputies continue to help keep our county safe; and

WHEREAS, these men and women, by their patriotic service and their dedicated efforts have earned the gratitude of our communities; and

WHEREAS, in recognition of the service given by the men and women who, night and day, stand guard to protect us through the enforcement of our laws, and who provide dedicated and compassionate service to the people of our nation and the communities of Santa Barbara County:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors recognizes the week of May 12, 2024, through May 29, 2024, as "National Peace Officers' Week" and takes this opportunity to thank the men and women of the Sheriff's Office who have chosen a career in the protection and service of others.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California, this 14<sup>th</sup> day of May 2024 by a unanimous vote of all members present.

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