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# COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING JUNE 29 THROUGH JULY 5  
"NATIONAL CLEAN BEACHES WEEK"  
IN SANTA BARBARA COUNTY

WHEREAS, the Clean Beaches Council, as part of Great Outdoors Month, has designated the week beginning June 29, 2007 as National Clean Beaches Week; and

WHEREAS, beaches are sensitive ecosystems, providing habitat for a variety of plants and animals, all of which are impacted from pollution, sea level rise, natural forces, untreated sewage, and careless use and stewardship; and

WHEREAS, clean beaches are important to the quality of life and public health of our community, providing recreational opportunities such as surfing, sailing, kayaking and fishing that encourage residents and tourists to enjoy the benefits of outdoor activities; and

WHEREAS, a healthy ocean and beaches provide economic benefits for Santa Barbara County such as a prosperous fishing industry that provides local jobs and an enhanced reputation as a world class tourist destination; and

WHEREAS, Santa Barbara County, through its Project Clean Water program and Storm Water Management Plan, is working to identify and implement regional and collaborative measures to improve water quality along our local coastline.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors proclaims the week of June 29 as "National Clean Beaches Week" and encourages all residents to visit, enjoy, and take stewardship of our greatest natural resource.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California this 26th day of June, 2007 by a unanimous vote of all members present.



ATTEST:

Clerk of the Board

Supervisor - 1st District

Supervisor - 2nd District

Supervisor - 3rd District

Supervisor - 4th District

Supervisor - 5th District