

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION HONORING BECKY LANGE UPON HER RETIREMENT FOR 21 YEARS OF DEDICATED SERVICE FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CHILD SUPPORT SERVICES

WHEREAS, Becky Bradford Lange has honorably served the County of Santa Barbara as a Child Support attorney since September 17, 1985, appearing in court thousands of times behalf of local families and children; and,

WHEREAS, Becky Lange has handled high-profile, complex and sensitive cases with common sense, thorough preparation, and terrific communication skills, having received legendary status amongst her colleagues for once receiving a favorable trial verdict after only 8 minutes of jury deliberation; and,

WHEREAS, San Luis Obispo County remains eternally grateful to Becky Lange for her providing back-up courtroom coverage for its lone attorney (who hopes, with every absence, not to be unfavorably compared to her!); and,

WHEREAS, Becky Lange arrives daily at the Department of Child Support Services from Tepesquet Canyon astride a Harley Davidson motorcycle, yet manages to look perfectly professional and composed in every courtroom appearance; and,

WHEREAS, Becky Lange has provided supervision to the entire DCSS legal staff since December 2000, coaching staff into uniformly high standards of performance, professionalism and commitment to the Child Support program while maintaining a sense of humor and love of fun; and

WHEREAS, Becky Lange is legendary for her passions for vacations; and,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that Becky Lange be encouraged to enjoy the mother of all vacations - retirement – with grateful acknowledgement of her superb service to the Child Support program of Santa Barbara County.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California, this 14th day of February, 2006 by a unanimous vote of all members present.

Supervisor ~ 1st District

Supervisor ~ 2nd District

Supervisor ~ 3rd District

Supervisor ~ 4th District

Supervisor ~ 5th District