

NTY OF SANTA BARBARA RESOLUTION HONORING GERALD "JERRY"THEDE CALIFORNIA

AS BOYS & GIRLS CLUB OF SANTA BARBARA'S 75TH ANNIVERSARY "PASS GO FOR KIDS" HONOREE

WHEREAS, Mr. Gerald "Jerry" Thede started his long association with the Boys & Girls Club in 1952 and helped redraft the Bylaws of the Club; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Thede has served as a Boys & Girls Club of Santa Barbara Board Member for 20 years and has served in almost every capacity available to him including Club President; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Thede co-chaired the Club's major Capital Campaign with Mason Farrell around 1996 and under their leadership, the Club raised \$1.5 million to renovate Santa Barbara County Boys & Girls Clubs, allowing the Club to add much needed space and many new programs and activities;

WHEREAS, Mr. Thede started the Charitable Trust Fund Campaign, which he personally kicked-off with his own contribution and instituted a restricted Endowment Fund for the Club to help ensure its future stability.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors honors Gerald "Jerry" Thede as Boys & Girls Club of Santa Barbara's 75th Anniversary "Pass Go for Kids" Honoree and further commends him for many years of outstanding leadership and dedicated service to our community.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California this 9th of April, 2013 by unanimous vote of all members present.

Supervisor - 1st District

2nd District

Supervisor - 4th District

5th District