Clerk of the Board of Supervisors County of Santa Barbara 105 E. Anapamu St., Rm. 407 Santa Barbara, CA 93101



RE: Resolution for placement on the Agenda for the Board of Supervisors' Meeting

Prepared on: March 11, 2013

Agenda Date: April 16, 2013

Staff Contact: Sandy Agalos x8402

Subject: A Resolution Proclaiming the Week of April 14-20, 2013, as Week of the Young Child and Commemorating the Open House Tour of Child Development Programs

To be Sponsored by Supervisor: Steve Lavagnino

This resolution <u>will</u> be presented at the meeting.

To be Presented to: Joyce Stone, MPPA, Coordinator of the Santa Barbara County Child Care Planning Council

Additional Information:

The last paragraph of the resolution should include the agenda date as follows:

"Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California, this [day] day of [month] 20[year], by unanimous vote of all members present."

## NOTE: PLEASE REDUCE THE COPIES OF THE RESOLUTION TO 11x81/2

Please check off if applicable:	
A time certain of the Chair of the Board of Supervisors.	_ o'clock am/pm has been approved by
A reception will be held immediate	ely after the presentation.



## ITY OF SANTA BARBARA **RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING CALIFORNIA**

THE WEEK OF APRIL 14 - 20, 2013, as SANTA BARBARA COUNTY WEEK OF THE YOUNG CHILD and COMMEMORATING the **OPEN HOUSE TOUR of NATIONALLY** ACCREDITED CHILD DEVELOPMENT **PROGRAMS ON APRIL 26, 2013** 

WHEREAS, the Santa Barbara County Child Care Planning Council, the Pacific Coast Association for the Education of Young Children and other local organizations, in conjunction with the National Association for the Education of Young Children, are celebrating the Week of the Young Child, April 14-20, 2013, with the Annual Accreditation Open House Tour event on Friday April 26, 2013; and

WHEREAS, the purpose of the WEEK OF THE YOUNG CHILD 2013 - "Early Years Are Learning Years" - is a national effort to call attention to the need for high-quality early childhood education programs and services for all children and families in our communities, to increase community involvement in early childhood issues, to foster continued involvement on the part of the community, to address child care needs and find local solutions, and to celebrate the joys of young children; and

WHEREAS, by calling attention to the need for high-quality early childhood education programs and services for all children and families within our community, these groups hope to improve the quality and availability of such education programs and services; and

WHEREAS, the future of our community depends on the quality of the early childhood experiences provided to young children today; and

WHEREAS, high-quality early childhood education programs and services represent a worthy investment and commitment to our children's future and should be recognized for their value to the community.

NOW THEREFORE IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors proclaims the week of April 14 to April 20, 2013, as SANTA BARBARA COUNTY WEEK OF THE YOUNG CHILD and urges all citizens to recognize and support the needs of young children in our community, and to recognize and support the high-quality programs that serve them.

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



bupervisor - 1st District

Bupervisor - 3rd District

Supervisor - 4th District

Supervisor - 5th District