

## **COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA**

RESOLUTION HONORING DAVID POWDRELL AS THE 2014 CARPINTERIAN OF THE YEAR

## CALIFORNIA

WHEREAS, David Powdrell has been honored by the Carpinteria Valley Chamber of Commerce as the 2014 Carpinterian of the Year; and

WHEREAS, Since 2005 David Powdrell has served the residents of Carpinteria with kindness, grace and giving, including his ongoing volunteerism to pack and deliver lunches to homebound seniors for the County Food Bank's Brown Bag program, volunteering for Carpinteria's Downtown Host Program, participating in the yearly beach clean ups for Carpinteria Beautiful and in the capacity of a long term volunteer photographer for Girl's Inc., the Carpinteria Valley Chamber of Commerce, Carpinteria Beautiful, the Carpinteria Morning Rotary Club, the annual local Home and Garden Tour and the Junior Wheelchair Sports Camp that is sponsored by Cottage Hospital; and

WHEREAS, David Powdrell is a stroke survivor who supports the Cottage Hospital Rehabilitation Center in an effort to assist other stroke survivors, and their families, which includes his leadership serving as a member of Center's Board of Directors, running in the New York City Marathon to honor recovering stroke patients, and kayaking the length of California to raise \$17,000 for Cottage Hospital's Rehabilitation Center; and

WHEREAS, David Powdrell is a neighbor, friend and inspiration to many, having been honored twice by the Rotary Club of Carpinteria with Paul Harris awards for his volunteerism towards the Rotary's 'Talent Showcase,' which helps support the Carpinteria School District's "Bands Forever Program," in which local students learn to read music and play an instrument. He was also awarded the 'Sports Person of the Month," by the 'Athletic Round Table,' while also currently serving on the Board of the Carpinteria Valley Arts Council, and the Friends of the Library; and

WHEREAS, David Powdrell leads by example through encouraging others to join him in supporting programs that help those in need. You would be hard pressed to say anything but YES, when David asks you to join him in making Carpinteria a better place.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors honors and commends David Powdrell for his leadership and dedicated service to his community and congratulates him upon being named the "2014 Carpinterian of the Year."

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of February, 2015 by unanimous vote of all members present.

Supervisor - 1st District

Supervisor - 2nd District

Supervisor - 3rd District

Supervisor - 4th District

ATTEST: Moundings at Clerk of the Board

Supervisor - 5th District