

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

RESOLUTION HONORING PETER AND GERD JORDANO THE RECIPIENTS OF THE 2015 LIFE CHRONICLES FATHER VIRGIL REMARKABLE LIFE AWARD

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WHEREAS, Peter and Gerd Jordano are the recipients of the 2015 Life Chronicles Father Virgil Remarkable Life Award; and

WHEREAS, Peter Jordano is the CEO of Jordano's Inc, a 100 year old family business operating in three counties in the Central Coast of California and it is the tri-counties largest wholesale distributor of food and beverages; and

WHEREAS, Peter Jordano was born and raised in Santa Barbara and has enjoyed being involved in many community activities, in addition to serving on several community Boards of Directors including: Montecito Bank and Trust, the Chamber of Commerce, University of California Foundation and the Santa Barbara Zoological Gardens. In 1956 he graduated from San Jose State University and then served in the United States Marine Corps 1956-1959 as First Lieutenant; and

WHEREAS, Peter Jordan has been inducted to the Pacific Coast Business Times Hall of Fame for his decades of leadership, business acumen and vision that have created economic opportunities and a commitment to service throughout our community; and

WHEREAS, Gerd Jordano has devoted her time and energy to countless local organizations and causes, which includes her being a founding member of the Westmont College Foundation Board and co-founder of Friends of Westmont where she has presided over six Westmont Community Breakfasts that have raised the level of public discourse throughout our community by featuring world renown and distinguished speakers including David McCullough, Thomas Friedman, Fareed Zakaria, Walter Isaacson, Vicente Fox and Condoleeza Rice; and

WHEREAS, Gerd Jordano has volunteered countless hours for many local nonprofit organization that includes serving as Chair of the Women and Heart Disease Luncheon; twice chairing the annual Zoofari Ball; serving on the Cottage Hospital Board of Directors; the Child Abuse Listening and Mediation Board of Directions and was named the 2010 Santa Barbara Foundation Woman of the Year;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors honors and commends Peter and Gerd Jordano upon their being recognized as the 2015 Life Chronicles Father Virgil Remarkable Life Award Recipients.

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

ATTEST: Monnheyeato
Clerk of the Board

Supervisor - 1st District

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Supervisor - 4th District

Supervisor - 5th District