

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

RESOLUTION HONORING DR. DAVID CASH UPON HIS RETIREMENT AS SUPERITENDENT OF SANTA BARBARA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

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WHEREAS, Dr. David Cash is retiring after serving five years as Superintendent of Santa Barbara Unified School District; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his tenure as Superintendent of Santa Barbara Unified, Dr. Cash has had a distinguished career in education having served in a number of teaching and executive capacities including principal of Buellton Union, Goleta Valley Junior High, and Dos Pueblos High School, as well as an Assistant Superintendent in Fullerton and Superintendent in the communities of Claremont and Clovis; and

WHEREAS, as Superintendent of Santa Barbara Unified, Dr. Cash has demonstrated exceptional leadership in working to address inequality among students and closing the achievement gap through enhancing culturally proficiency and outreach to parents while implementing Restorative Justice programs in the classroom which have had the intended effect of reducing suspensions and keeping students in class; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Cash is a strong proponent of the academic benefits associated with healthy diets and physical activity. Under his direction, the School District was a key partner in the annual community health fairs that provide free information on healthy eating strategies and connect students and their families to medical evaluations and services. In addition, the School District was a contributing member of the recently adopted Santa Barbara County Food Action Plan;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors honors Dr. David Cash upon his retirement as Superintendent of Santa Barbara Unified School District and further commends him for his commitment to ensure a high quality education for all students.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California this 19th day of July, 2016 by a unanimous vote of all members present.

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