

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

RESOLUTION HONORING

JIM KEMP FOR HIS SERVICE TO THE SANTA BARBARA COUNTY ASSOCIATION OF GOVERNMENTS

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WHEREAS, Jim Kemp has lived in Santa Barbara County since 1975 and obtained a Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of California Santa Barbara with majors in Geography and Environmental Studies; and

WHEREAS, Jim Kemp has worked for the Santa Barbara County Association of Governments (SBCAG) since 1982, previously serving as Deputy Director of Programming and Project Development when his responsibilities included implementation of the \$130 million Measure D Highway Program; and

WHEREAS, SBCAG was established in 1966 as a voluntary association of local government agencies within Santa Barbara County, and is responsible for working with local, state and federal agency partners to address many inter-jurisdictional issues affecting the region including transportation, air quality, housing and airport land use; and

WHEREAS, Jim Kemp as SBCAG Executive Director led SBCAG's successful effort to pass Measure A in 2008 which continued a countywide ½-cent 30-year sales tax dedicated to improving, maintaining, and repairing the county's transportation infrastructure; and also developed and led the 101 in Motion community planning effort which successfully established the "lane and train" community consensus strategy for the 101 corridor in south Santa Barbara County; and

WHEREAS, Jim Kemp has contributed to the success of SBCAG supporting completion of many projects that will benefit county residents and visitors for years to come including construction of the 101 HOV Widening Project Phases I & II, Santa Maria River Bridges widening, and 101/Union Valley Parkway interchange; and

WHEREAS, Jim Kemp has advocated for the interests of the region with members of congress, the state legislature, California Transportation Commission and Caltrans through his role as SBCAG Executive Director and the California Association of Councils of Governments; and

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that the members of the Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors express their individual and collective appreciation to Jim Kemp for his 34 years of service to the Santa Barbara County Association of Governments and wish him well in all future endeavors.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California this 18th day of October, 2016, by a unanimous vote of all members present.

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