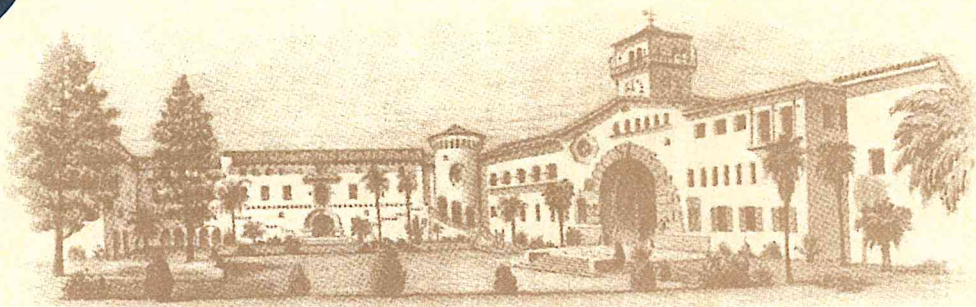




COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE 70th ANNIVERSARY OF THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE STATE OF ISRAEL

WHEREAS, the establishment of the modern state of Israel as a homeland for the Jewish people followed the destruction of much of European Jewry during the Holocaust; and

WHEREAS, Israel regularly sends humanitarian aid, search and rescue teams, mobile hospitals, and other emergency supplies, to help victims of disasters around the world; and

WHEREAS, for seven decades, the United States, California and Israel have maintained a special relationship based on mutually shared democratic and moral values, common strategic interests, and bonds of friendship and mutual respect; and

WHEREAS, the American people and people of Santa Barbara feel a strong affinity for the Israeli people based on common values and shared democratic principles; and

WHEREAS, the United States and California continue to regard Israel as a trusted ally and vital strategic partner in the Middle East; and

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors extends their warmest congratulations and best wishes to the Jewish Federation of Greater Santa Barbara and to the state of Israel and Israeli people for a peaceful and prosperous future upon the 70th anniversary of statehood.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California, on this 1st day of May, 2018 by the unanimous vote of all members present.



ATTEST:

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Clerk of the Board

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