

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING THE MONTH OF MAY 2018 AS OLDER AMERICANS MONTH

WHEREAS, the County of Santa Barbara includes countless older Americans who enrich and strengthen our community; and

WHEREAS, the County of Santa Barbara, its departments and commissions are committed to engaging and supporting older adults, their families, and caregivers; and

WILEREAS, the County of Santa Barbara engages with many local organizations, both non profit and profit, to address the needs of its older adults, their families and caregivers; and

WHEREAS, we acknowledge the importance of taking part in activities that promote physical, mental, and emotional well-being; no matter your age; and

WHEREAS, the 2018 theme for Older Americans Month is 'Engage at Every Age', which emphasizes that you are never too old or too young, to take part in activities that can enrich your physical, mental and emotional well-being; and

WHEREAS, the County of Santa Barbara can enrich the lives of individuals of every age by promoting home and community based services that support independent living, involving older adults in the community; planning, events, and other activities; and providing opportunities for older adults to work, volunteer, learn, lead, and mentor.

WHEREAS, the County of Santa Barbara joins with the Central Coast Commission for Senior Citizens to celebrate Older Americans Month by recognizing outstanding individuals and organizations on Wednesday, May 30th at a Celebration Tea at the Santa Ynez Valley Marriott.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California, do hereby proclaim May 2018 to be Older Americans Month. We urge every resident to take time during this month to recognize older adults and the people who serve them as vital parts of our community.

PASSED AND ADOPTED, by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California, this 8th day of May 2018, by unanimous vote of all members present.

ATTEST: Mondays ato
Clerk of the Board

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