



HONORING
NAVY LEAGUE, CHANNEL ISLANDS COUNCIL
AND ITS DEDICATED MEMBERSHIP
FOR OVER 50 YEARS OF SUPPORT TO AMERICA'S
SEA SERVICES

WHEREAS, THE NAVY LEAGUE OF THE UNITED STATES, A NONPROFIT, CIVILIAN, EDUCATIONAL AND ADVOCACY ORGANIZATION WAS FOUNDED IN 1902 WITH THE SUPPORT OF PRESIDENT THEODORE ROOSEVELT; AND

WHEREAS, THE NAVY LEAGUE OF THE UNITED STATES PROVIDES SUPPORT TO AMERICA'S SEA SERVICES: THE NAVY, MARINE CORPS, COAST GUARD AND US-FLAG MERCHANT MARINE; AND

WHEREAS, A PRIMARY PART OF THE NAVY LEAGUE'S MISSION FOCUS IS TO ENHANCE THE MORALE OF SEA SERVICE PERSONNEL AND THEIR FAMILIES THROUGH NATIONAL AND COUNCIL LEVEL PROGRAMS; AND

WHEREAS, THE CHANNEL ISLANDS COUNCIL OF THE NAVY LEAGUE WAS FOUNDED ON JANUARY 26, 1973, BY LOCAL U.S. CITIZENS TO PROUDLY CARRY OUT THE U.S. NAVY LEAGUE'S MISSION IN VENTURA COUNTY; AND

WHEREAS, NAVY LEAGUE, CHANNEL ISLANDS COUNCIL HOSTS LOCAL INDIVIDUAL COUNCIL EVENTS THAT PROVIDE IMPORTANT MARITIME EXPOSURE AND EDUCATION TO THE PUBLIC, AND INVITES ALL CITIZENS, AGE 18 YEARS AND OLDER TO JOIN NAVY LEAGUE; AND

WHEREAS, NAVY LEAGUE CHANNEL ISLANDS COUNCIL INVITES ACTIVE DUTY AND RETIRED SEA SERVICE MEMBERS, OR OTHER SUBJECT MATTER EXPERTS TO SPEAK ON RELEVANT MATTERS AT THEIR COUNCIL MEETINGS WITH AN AIM TO ENHANCE THE PUBLIC'S APPRECIATION AND KNOWLEDGE OF AMERICA'S SEA SERVICES; AND


WHEREAS, NAVY LEAGUE CHANNEL ISLANDS COUNCIL REGULARLY RECOGNIZES SERVICE MEMBERS FOR OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE IN THEIR FIELD WITH AWARDS OF MERIT PRESENTED WITH RECOGNITION FROM LOCAL OFFICIALS AND IN PARTNERSHIP WITH THE NAVY MARINE CORPS RELIEF SOCIETY AND FLEET FAMILY SUPPORT COORDINATES BABY SHOWERS FOR ACTIVE-DUTY FAMILIES; AND

WHEREAS, NAVY LEAGUE CHANNEL ISLANDS COUNCIL ACKNOWLEDGES THAT "GREATNESS HAS NO AGE" AND SUPPORTS NATIONAL YOUTH LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT ORGANIZATIONS SUCH AS THE U.S. NAVAL SEA CADET CORPS, THE NAVY LEAGUE CADET CORPS AND THE NJROTC AT HUNEME HIGH SCHOOL AND RECOGNIZES THAT THESE ORGANIZATIONS PROMOTE INTEREST AND SKILL IN NAVAL DISCIPLINES, WHILE INSTILLING STRONG MORAL CHARACTER AND LIFE SKILLS.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, THAT THE VENTURA COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS HONORS THE NAVY LEAGUE, CHANNEL ISLANDS COUNCIL, AND ITS DEDICATED MEMBERSHIP FOR OVER 50 YEARS OF SUPPORT TO AMERICA'S SEA SERVICES.

PRESENTED ON THIS 8TH DAY OF OCTOBER 2024


CHAIR OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
KELLY LONG, SUPERVISOR 3RD DISTRICT


MATT LA VERE, SUPERVISOR 1ST DISTRICT


JEFF GORELL, SUPERVISOR 2ND DISTRICT


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