

Board of Education
Santa Barbara Unified School District

RECOGNIZING April 24, 2013 AS EMPLOYEE APPRECIATION DAY

RECITALS:

WHEREAS, the children of California represent the future and the most significant resource of our state; and

WHEREAS, an educated citizenry serves as the foundation of our democracy; and

WHEREAS, the public school system of the State of California bears responsibility for properly preparing children for the roles they will play in tomorrow's world; and

WHEREAS, the certificated staff in the Santa Barbara Unified School District teach the vital lessons that enable our students to mature and reach their greatest potential; provide good teaching that grows in value and pays dividends far beyond the classroom; mold the minds and train the workforce of the future; and touch many people with a lasting effect; and

WHEREAS, the classified employees in the Santa Barbara Unified School District provide valuable services to the schools and students; contribute to the establishment and promotion of a positive instructional environment; serve a vital role in providing for the welfare and safety of students; and strive for excellence in all areas relative to the educational community; and

WHEREAS, leadership matters for California's public education system and research shows that great schools and school districts are led by great principals, district office administrators and superintendents; and whereas, school administrators in the Santa Barbara Unified School District are passionate, lifelong learners who believe in the value of quality public education; and depend on a network of support from the entire school community to promote ongoing student achievement and success;

NOW, THEREFORE, THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE SANTA BARBARA UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT DOES HEREBY RESOLVE to observe **APRIL 24, 2013**, as **Employee Appreciation Day**, in honor of the dedicated certificated and classified employees of the District and in appreciation of the positive influence they have upon the lives of the youth in our District.

APPROVED, PASSED AND ADOPTED this 23rd Day of April 2013

Ayes: _____ Noes: _____ Absent: _____ Abstained: _____

President, Board of Education
Santa Barbara Unified School
District

ATTEST: _____
Clerk of the Board of Education, Santa Barbara Unified School District