



City of Santa Barbara

PROCLAMATION

Girl Scouts Make The World A Better Place Week March 11-17, 2007

WHEREAS, Monday, March 12, 2007, marks the 95th anniversary of Girl Scouts of the USA, founded by Juliette Gordon Low in Savannah, Georgia; and

WHEREAS, throughout its distinguished history, Girl Scouting has helped girls and women build courage, confidence, and character, and this year, more than 3.7 million Girl Scout members nationwide will be celebrating this American tradition; and

WHEREAS, Santa Barbara's network of volunteers – with their varying backgrounds, abilities, and areas of expertise – offer their time and talent to allow the girls to thrive in so many different settings; and

WHEREAS, through Girl Scouting's unique leadership development program, girls define leadership by making the world a better place by discovering, connecting, and taking action in their communities; and

WHEREAS, in Santa Barbara, Girl Scouting takes an active role in increasing girls' awareness of the opportunities available to them in math, science, sports, technology, health, and other fields that can expand their horizons,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARTY BLUM, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Santa Barbara, California, do hereby applaud the commitment Girl Scouts has made to our community and proclaim the week of March 11 –17, 2007 as Girl Scouts Make The World A Better Place Week.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Official Seal of the City of Santa Barbara, California, to be affixed this 1st day of March 2007.


Marty Blum
MARTY BLUM, MAYOR

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