



City of Santa Barbara

LETTER of RECOGNITION

Boys and Girls Club of Santa Barbara Celebrating 70th Anniversary

WHEREAS, Boys & Girls Club of Santa Barbara will celebrate its 70th anniversary on April 18, 2008 and; and

WHEREAS, Boys & Girls Club of Santa Barbara, built in 1938, continues to inspire and enable all young people, especially those who need the most, to reach their full potential as productive, caring, responsible citizens; and

WHEREAS, Boys & Girls Club of Santa Barbara, moved to its present location, 632 E. Canon Perdido St., in 1947, is known as a "rock of Gibraltar" in the lives of many by serving 1,000 local youths and their families each year; and

WHEREAS, Boys & Girls Club of Santa Barbara is at the forefront of efforts to promote the health, social, educational, vocational, and character development of youth between the ages of 6-18; and

WHEREAS, Boys & Girls Club of Santa Barbara, for the first time in 20 years, is now open six days a week with the addition of Saturday; and

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARTY BLUM, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Santa Barbara, California, do hereby do hereby honor Boys & Girls Club of Santa Barbara by commending the organization for its 70th ANNIVERSARY of dedication to the youth of our community.

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 15th day of April 2008.


MARTY BLUM, MAYOR