

Resolution No. _____
Sonoma County Administration Building,
Santa Rosa, California
Date _____

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS,
COUNTY OF SONOMA, DECLARING
MAY 6-12, 2009 AS NURSES WEEK IN SONOMA COUNTY

WHEREAS, the national theme for Nurses Week is "*Nurses: Building A Healthy America*"; and

WHEREAS, the nursing profession developed out of concern for relieving pain and suffering and for promoting the health of all individuals; and

WHEREAS, nurses provide valuable health and medical services to people of all ages and abilities in hospitals, homes, clinics, schools, mental health sites, correctional facilities, senior centers and other various community locations; and

WHEREAS, nurses work with individuals at all stages of life including pregnant women, infants, toddlers, children, teens, young and older adults and provide constructive expertise on enhancing health to a number of community groups; and

WHEREAS, 91 nurses are employed by the Department of Health Services and help the residents of Sonoma County face a wide variety of health and medical issues.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that in recognition of professional nurses for all that they do to improve the health and well being of individuals and society, the Board of Supervisors of the County of Sonoma declares May 6-12, 2009 as Nurses Week in Sonoma County.

SUPERVISORS:

Brown	Kerns	Zane	Carrillo	Kelley
Ayes	Noes	Abstain	Absent	

SO ORDERED