

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF  
THE COUNTY OF SONOMA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA,  
AUTHORIZING THE CHAIRPERSON OF THE BOARD TO  
PROCLAIM OCTOBER 4-10, 2009 AS NATIONAL 4-H WEEK

WHEREAS; 4-H youth across the nation are leading efforts to solve problems in their communities and make a difference for their futures; and

WHEREAS; 4-H is one of the largest youth development organizations in California and the largest in the nation with six million young people; and

WHEREAS; 4-H in Sonoma County has more than 1,100 members and more than 425 volunteers; and

WHEREAS; 4-H as part of the California extension system of the University of California is a program where youth learn through opportunities that provide them hands-on experiences in 4-H's mission mandates of science, engineering and technology; healthy living; and citizenship; and

WHEREAS; 4-H has connected youth and their communities with the innovative research and resources from our nation's 106 land-grant universities and colleges for more than 100 years; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors hereby authorize the Chairperson to proclaim October 4-10, 2009, as National 4-H Week in Sonoma County and urge the people of this community to take advantage of the opportunity to become more aware of this special program that enhances our young people's interests in their futures as part of Sonoma County 4-H Youth Development and to join us in recognizing the unique partnership between our county and our state University System.

SUPERVISORS:

Brown:       Kerns:       Zane:       Carrillo:       Kelley:

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