In the matter of recognizing the Boy Scouts of America for its 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary, and the Mt. Diablo Silverado Council RESOLUTION NO. 2010/56

WHEREAS, the Boy Scouts of America was established in 1910 to teach patriotism, courage, self-reliance and kindred values; and

WHEREAS, the Boy Scouts of America, today, is the largest youth service organization in America, with nearly 3 million members learning responsible citizenship, character development, and self-reliance through participation in a wide range of outdoor activities, educational programs and career-oriented programs in partnership with community organizations; and

WHEREAS, the Mt. Diablo Silverado Council serves five counties, Contra Costa, Lake, Napa, North Alameda and Solano counties and serves approximately 16,000 youth and 5,000 adults; and

WHEREAS, the Boy Scouts of America will celebrate its 100th Anniversary February 8, 2010; and

WHEREAS, a core value of the Boy Scouts of America is service to others and is recognizing core scouting values through its "A Year of Celebration, A Century of Making a Difference," year-long recognition program in honor of the 100th Anniversary; and

WHEREAS, part of the "Year of Celebration" included two weekends of special community service councilwide; and

WHEREAS, the Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, and Venturers conducted a food drive in the five counties served by the Mt. Diablo Silverado Council; and

WHEREAS, approximately 300 Eagle Scouts will conduct community service projects totaling an estimated 16,000 hours of service; and

WHEREAS, the Boy Scouts will continue the Scoutreach programs for disadvantaged youth in an effort to combat violence and illiteracy; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors hereby recognizes the Boy Scouts of America and its 100 years of hard work and dedication of both its members and the community.

PASSED by a unanimous vote of the Board of Supervisors members present this 19th day of January, 2010.

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District II Supervisor

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Introduced by Supervisor Mary N. Piepho

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District III Supervisor

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District V Supervisor

I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of an action taken and entered on the minutes of the Board of Supervisors on the date shown:

ATTESTED: January 19, 2010

DAVID TWA, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors and

County Administrator

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