

WHEREAS, Dr. Dean Edell, is one of the first physician broadcasters in the nation; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Dean Edell makes complicated medical information easy-to-understand, often tackling topics that are unusual and controversial; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Dean Edell's experiences have made him a strong advocate for hospice care and advanced care planning; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Dean Edell's family's experiences add to his powerful broadcasts on these important subjects; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Dean Edell will be awarded the John W. Gardner Visionary Award on October 20, 2005.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Clara, State of California, does hereby comend

DR. DEAN EDELL

For his enduring and exemplary contribution to the mission of Pathways.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this Eighteenth Day of October, Two Thousand Five, by unanimous vote.

Liz Kniss, Chair
Board of Supervisors

Donald F. Gage
Supervisor, District One

Pete McHugh
Supervisor, District Three

Blanca Alvarado
Supervisor, District Two

James T. Beall, Jr.
Supervisor, District Four

Attest: Phyllis Perez
Clerk, Board of Supervisors