

WHEREAS, the Father’s Day Council was formed in 1931 to identify and honor fathers who have demonstrated the ability to balance their personal lives with their professional careers, to serve as role models for their children, and to help make a positive difference in their communities; and

WHEREAS, since 1999, the Father’s Day Council has joined the American Diabetes Association to host the Father of the Year Awards dinner, benefiting the research, education and advocacy initiatives of the American Diabetes Association; and

WHEREAS, John Neece recently retired as CEO of the South Bay Buildings and Trades Council where he fostered balance between labor and management; and

WHEREAS, John Neece has been involved in community activities, serving on the boards of the National Hispanic University, Valley Medical Center Foundation, Red Cross Disaster Relief Program and the Cordevalle Youth Golf Foundation; and

WHEREAS, John Neece and his wife are the proud parents of four children.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Clara, State of California, hereby congratulates and honors

JOHN NEECE

as a 2005 Father of the Year Honoree of the American Diabetes Association.

PASSED AND ADOPTED, this Seventh Day of June, Two Thousand Five by unanimous vote.

Liz Kniss, Chair
Board of Supervisors

Donald F. Gage
Supervisor, District One

Blanca Alvarado
Supervisor, District Two

Pete McHugh
Supervisor, District Three

James Beall, Jr.
Supervisor, District Four

Attest: Phyllis Perez
Clerk, Board of Supervisors