

WHEREAS, the mission of the Santa Clara Valley Audubon Society is *to preserve, to enjoy, to restore and to foster public awareness of native birds and their ecosystems, mainly in Santa Clara County*; and

WHEREAS, Craig Breon worked for the Santa Clara Valley Audubon Society since 1995, and began his tenure as Executive Director in 2001; and

WHEREAS, Craig Breon worked to develop a strong, mutually supportive relationship between the Santa Clara Valley Audubon Society and the Santa Clara Valley Water District; and

WHEREAS, Craig Breon was instrumental in encouraging the City of Santa Clara to preserve and then declare the Ulistac Natural Area as the City's first and only open space preserve; and

WHEREAS, Craig Breon worked to establish, preserve and protect open space in the City of Alviso; and

WHEREAS, Craig Breon, in his role as Executive Director, developed cooperative relationships with other environmental organizations and worked "behind the scenes" to preserve and protect open space throughout Santa Clara County; and

WHEREAS, Craig Breon's contribution to the Santa Clara Valley Audubon Society will be celebrated on Sunday, August 7, 2005 at a Silent Auction Event.

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

CRAIG BREON

for 10 years of leadership and commitment to the mission of the Santa Clara Valley Audubon Society.

PASSED AND ADOPTED, this Second Day of August, 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