

WHEREAS, Bernadine Chuck Fong has served as President of Foothill College in Los Altos Hills, California since 1994 and is now retiring following a career in education spanning thirty-eight years; and

WHEREAS, Bernadine Chuck Fong has authored three textbooks on Child Development, and serves on many councils including Council of Trustees at Stanford University, Board of Directors at Academy of Art in San Francisco, and the Board of Directors for Carnegie Foundation; and

WHEREAS, Bernadine Chuck Fong has been a speaker, presenter, and keynote speaker for numerous organizations and events since 1986, and was named “Woman of the Year” by the State of California Legislature in 1996, as well as “Phenomenal Woman” in 2002 by Chicago’s Harold Washington College Chapter of the American Association of Women in Community Colleges; and

WHEREAS, Bernadine Chuck Fong’s interests include academic leadership, organizational development, and community colleges as agents for educational equity.

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

BERNADINE CHUCK FONG

for her vision, guidance, energy, and academic leadership exhibited by the contributions she has made to education in our community.

PASSED AND ADOPTED, this Twentieth Day of June, Two Thousand and Six by unanimous vote.

James T. Beall, Jr., Chair
Board of Supervisors

Donald F. Gage
Supervisor, District One

Blanca Alvarado
Supervisor, District Two

Pete McHugh
Supervisor, District Three

Liz Kniss
Supervisor, District Five

Attest: Phyllis A. Perez
Clerk, Board of Supervisors