

IN THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF SAN LUIS OBISPO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

_____ DAY _____, 2015

PRESENT: Supervisors

ABSENT:

RESOLUTION NO.
RESOLUTION PEOPLES' SELF-HELP HOUSING 45 YEAR ANNIVERSARY

The following resolution is hereby offered and read:

WHEREAS, Peoples' Self-Help Housing (PSHH) was incorporated on August 6, 1970 to provide affordable housing and programs leading to self-sufficiency for low-income families, seniors and other special needs groups on California's Central Coast; and

WHEREAS, over the past 45 years, PSHH has developed nearly 1,600 affordable rental units at 45 properties throughout the counties of San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara and Ventura; and

WHEREAS, PSHH home building program is a group method of home construction for limited income families. Utilizing "sweat equity", over 1,200 homes have now been constructed by individuals as owner-builders under the supervision of PSHH; and

WHEREAS, with our partners, PSHH provides learning opportunities such as financial literacy, job readiness, and home buyer education. PSHH has also assisted hundreds of homebuyers save their homes through foreclosure prevention counseling and education; and

WHEREAS, in 1999 PSHH created the Health and Community Services division to provide quality comprehensive health, social service and educational programs for PSHH tenants; this supportive program also links our residents to other community services and agencies; and

WHEREAS, PSHH established a Youth Educational Enhancement Program (YEEP) in 2002 that provides year round after school mentored learning which now serves 350 children daily at 10 on-site Learning Centers for students K-6, staffed by trained Educators; and

WHEREAS, PSHH currently provides safe and attractive shelter for 4,400 residents throughout the Tri-Counties; and has received numerous national, state and local awards in recognition of significant contributions to the revitalization of our neighborhoods and communities, housing the formerly homeless and veterans, and for transformational work in educating our youth population; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the County of San Luis Obispo, Board of Supervisors, State of California, does hereby congratulate Peoples' Self-Help Housing for 45 years of successfully providing affordable housing and important community services to our citizens in San Luis Obispo County.

Upon motion of Supervisor _____, seconded by Supervisor _____, and on the following roll call vote, to wit:

AYES:

NOES:
ABSENT:

The foregoing resolution is hereby adopted.

Chairperson, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: _____
Deputy Clerk