

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

_____ day _____, 2012

PRESENT: Supervisors

ABSENT:

RESOLUTION NO.

**RESOLUTION HONORING MARC GOLDBERG AND MAGGIE D'AMBROSIA AS THE
2011 PASO ROBLES WINE COUNTRY WINE INDUSTRY PERSONS OF THE YEAR**

The following resolution is hereby offered and read:

WHEREAS, on January 20, 2012 the Paso Robles Wine Country Alliance will honor Marc Goldberg and Maggie D'Ambrosia as its 2011 Wine Industry Persons for their outstanding leadership and vision in promoting Paso Robles Wine Country to the local, state, and national wine industry; and

WHEREAS, Marc and Maggie, husband and wife owners of Windward Vineyard, shared a passion for wine and the production of Burgundian style Pinot Noir, purchased and planted their Paso Robles vineyard in 1989; and

WHEREAS, the site location in Paso Robles was based upon the terroir and microclimate unique to the Paso Robles American Viticultural Area, leveraging the cooling ocean breezes, calcareous soil, and dramatic diurnal temperature changes to grow Pinot Noir; and

WHEREAS, Marc and Maggie's dedication to the Pinot Noir wine grape variety has risen the awareness and appreciation of Paso Robles Pinot Noir from wine aficionados and critics alike; and

WHEREAS, their love of the region and its cuisine created the Pinot and Paella Festival, held each June since 2004, attracting more than 500 guests to a unique food and wine experience in Paso Robles Wine Country whereby raising funds for local youth arts programs, thus creating additional notoriety for the area and other producers of Pinot Noir, and;

WHEREAS, it was their dream that from farming their 15 acres, they would cultivate a wine representing the true essence of Pinot Noir and Paso Robles terroir in every bottle, thus a reflection of the dedication and passion they have for every vintage and for Paso Robles.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors, County of San Luis Obispo, State of California, does hereby honor Marc Goldberg and Maggie D'Ambrosia, husband and wife owners of Windward Vineyard, for being named the 2011 Paso Robles Wine Country Wine Industry Persons of the Year.

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 Supervisor

ATTEST:

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: _____
Deputy Clerk