## Resolution No. 2013-36

## RESOLUTION OF THE SOLANO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS DESIGNATING THE MONTH OF APRIL 2013 AS NATIONAL COUNTY GOVERNMENT MONTH IN SOLANO COUNTY

**WHEREAS**, the nation's 3,069 counties provide a variety of essential public services to communities serving 314 million Americans, including the delivery of a wide range of services linked to ensuring justice for residents; and

WHEREAS, Solano County and all counties take seriously their responsibility to protect and enhance the health, welfare and safety of its residents in sensible and cost-effective ways; and

**WHEREAS,** county governments are often the entity providing both direct and indirect services to enhance the lives of residents and are responsible for a significant component of maintaining public safety; and

WHEREAS, Solano County has instituted many initiatives and programs to provide a more holistic approach to ensuring justice, including access to physical and mental health care, delivering protective services for children and adults, and maintaining marketplace equity by ensuring proper weights and measuring systems; and

**WHEREAS**, each year since 1991 National Association of Counties has encourage counties across the country to raise public awareness and understanding about the roles and responsibilities of the nation's counties to meet the needs of the community; and

**WHEREAS**, the theme for this year's National County Government Month is "Smart Justice: Creating Safer Communities" highlights the diverse role counties playing in ensuring justice and public safety in communities.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Solano County Board of Supervisors does hereby designate April 2013 as National County Government Month in Solano County.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** that the Solano County Board of Supervisors salutes and commends the efforts of County employees for being responsible stewards and for their distinguished role in ensuring justice in our communities.

Dated this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of April, 2013

LINDA J. SÉIFÉRT, Chair

Solano County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

BIRGITTA E. CORSELLO, Clerk Solano County Board of Supervisors

Patricia J. Crittenden, Chief Deputy Clerk