

**CALIFORNIA LEGISLATURE  
ASSEMBLY RESOLUTION**

By the Honorable Mariko Yamada, 8th Assembly District; and  
the Honorable Lois Wolk, 5th Senatorial District;

**RELATIVE TO THE SOLANO COUNTY TAXPAYERS ASSOCIATION**

**WHEREAS**, The relationship between a city and its residents is a vital and interdependent one, deserving its strength from the quantity and quality of civic involvement and public spirit generated by individuals, community groups, and governing bodies; and

**WHEREAS**, the year 2010 marks the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the Solano County Taxpayers Association, and in recognition of its distinguished record of public service, it is deserving of special honors and the highest commendations; and

**WHEREAS**, The Solano County Taxpayers Association (SCTA) was formed to secure by lawful means greater economy and efficiency in government; to stimulate the public interest in civic affairs; to effect reduction in taxes; and to assist governments of a county region by studying and recommending regional policies directed at the solution of mutual problems that transcend the local jurisdictions; and

**WHEREAS**, Over the past five decades, the SCTA has given much time and effort to fostering engagement in the political process within the communities it serves and become renowned for its ability to work with a diverse group of people in order to forge solutions to the challenges that face the region, and

**WHEREAS**, in March 2008, SCTA members testified before the Little Hoover Commission regarding the report Clearer Structure, Cleaner Water: Improving Performance and Outcomes at the State Water Board and, in 2007, before the Central Valley Regional Water Quality Board to help improve the Board's understanding and knowledge of the City of Dixon's efforts to protect water quality, and

**WHEREAS**, Most recently, the SCTA assisted the citizens of Rio Vista in the development of a referendum for wastewater treatment facilities and formed the First Coalition of Bay Area Taxpayers in opposition to the Bay Bridges toll increase; and

**WHEREAS**, The contributions the Solano County Taxpayers Association has made to the residents of the local area are invaluable, and in its fiftieth anniversary year, the Association looks back with pride and forward with hope, recognizing its many accomplishments yet knowing how much more necessary work remains to be done; now therefore, be it

**RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY MEMBER MARIKO YAMADA AND SENATOR LOIS WOLK**, the Solano County Taxpayers Association be commended on the celebration of its fiftieth anniversary, and extended best wishes for continued success in the future.

Members Resolution No. 2215

Dated this 17th day of October, 2010

Honorable Mariko Yamada  
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