

**MOTION BY SUPERVISOR YVONNE B. BURKE**

**April 3, 2007**

**In Recognition of Youthbuild Week**

WHEREAS, , the Youthbuild National Director’s Association voted unanimously to declare the week of April 2 through April 10, 2007 as YouthBuild week nationwide and

WHEREAS, the first YouthBuild program was started by the President and Founder of YouthBuild USA, Dorothy Stoneman, in East Harlem in 1978 and today there are over 225 operating YouthBuild programs and

WHEREAS, The Los Angeles YouthBuild Collaborative consisting of the following members WLCAC-YouthBuild , CCEO-YOUTHBuild , Venice-YouthBuild , LACASA-YouthBuild and LACC-YouthBuild are implementing successful YouthBuild programs throughout the County and

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WHEREAS , YouthBuild is a national Youth Development , Education , Construction Training and Leadership Development organization serving young adults ages 18-24, high school drop-outs, unemployed and unskilled seeking a career in theConstruction trades and

WHEREAS , we also congratulate Dorothy Stoneman on winning the prestigious international 2007 Skoll Award for Social Entrepreneurship and

WHEREAS , THE L.A.YouthBuild Collaborative is promoting YouthBuild throughout the County and call on young people to get enrolled in a YouthBuild program in their neighborhood and

I, THEREFORE, MOVE THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS of the County of Los Angeles hereby proclaims Monday April 2, 2007 though April 10, 2007 as YouthBuild Week in the County of Los Angeles.

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