

State of California
AIR RESOURCES BOARD

Resolution 94-37

WHEREAS, Gladys Meade has served with the American Lung Association for the last 20 years, most recently as Executive Director of its California organization, and was instrumental in placing its emphasis on air pollution control and the enhancement of air quality;

WHEREAS, Gladys' merciless battles with the air pollution dragon have spanned the years from the birth of NOx retrofit to the dawn of clean fuels, typifying the evolution from pollution control to pollution prevention, a process in which she has been a key figure;

WHEREAS, Gladys' unwavering commitment, inexhaustable energy, boundless creativity, and unquenchable good humor have enabled her to organize, educate, and direct the clean air efforts of numerous national, state, and local organizations;

WHEREAS, Gladys has prominently served the public interest on many environmental and air quality boards, including the Air Resources Board and the South Coast Air Quality Management District, where she always remained grounded in the community and has ever been a voice of the people;

WHEREAS, Gladys' gracious, modest, courteous, and generous manner has shed welcome light rather than heat on difficult air quality issues before this Board, and has assured that her thoroughly researched and informed positions would receive their deserved respect and consideration;

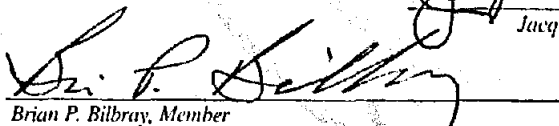
WHEREAS, Gladys' keen intelligence, unassailable integrity, peerless expertise, calm perseverance, and skill at communication make her the undisputed diva of clean air advocacy in California;

WHEREAS, Gladys is retiring from the Lung Association but will continue to lend her extensive knowledge of air pollution issues to the benefit of all Californians.

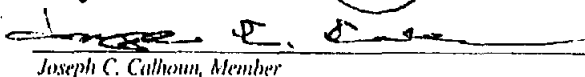
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board enthusiastically commends Gladys Meade for her significant contributions to healthy air and expresses its deep appreciation for her selfless and ceaseless efforts.

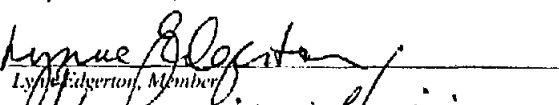
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board wishes Gladys a happy and productive retirement in which clean air and healthy lungs may continue to play an important role.

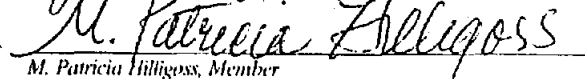

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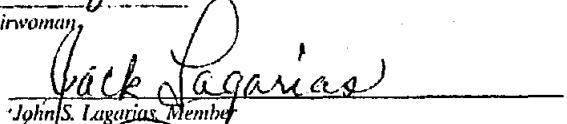

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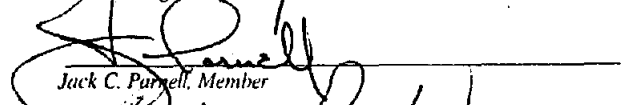

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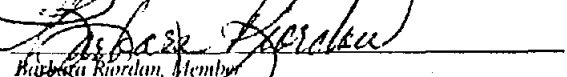

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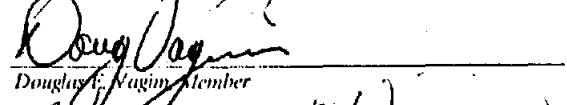

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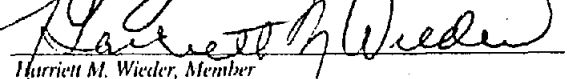

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