

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY

<i>Name</i>	<i>Elected</i>	<i>Oath of Office</i>	<i>CAA President</i>	<i>Retired</i>	<i>Deceased</i>
Lewis T. Burton	1850 **			1851	
E.S. Hoar	1851 **			04/14/1852	
Francisco de la Guerra	1852 **, 11/02/1852				
Albert Packard	06/20/1853 **				
Antonio de la Guerra	1854, 1855				
Nicholas A. Den	09/07/1855			06/12/1857	
Eugene Lies	06/12/1887 **				
Miguel Smith	09/07/1857				
Antonio Arrellanes	09/29/1857 **, 09/08/1858				
Guillermo Castillo	03/22/1859 **, 09/07/1859, 09/10/1861				
Augustin Janssens	1863, 1865, 1867				
J.J. Elizalde	1869			1871	
C.E. Alvord	1871			1873	
A.B. Williams	1873			1875	
J.M. Garrettson	1875			1882	
Frank Smith	1882			1906	
T.R. Dawe	1907			1911	
Clio L. Lloyd	1912			01/1920	
Charles S. Tomlinson	01/1920			04/1947	
Guy P. Sawyer	04/1947			12/1958	
Harry W. Holmquist	01/1959			06/1972	

Kay L. Marvin **	07/01/1972			07/10/1972	
William H. Cook	07/10/1972 **, 06/05/1990	07/10/1972	1983	02/01/1993	
Walter V. Alves	02/01/1993 **			03/15/1993	
Eric J. Sonquist	03/15/1993 **			12/24/1993	
Kenneth A. Pettit	12/24/1993 **, 06/07/1994	01/03/1995		12/2002	
Joseph Holland	03/05/2002				

Santa Barbara County was created on February 18, 1850 and was one of the original twenty-seven counties of the State of California. Saint Barbara is the patron saint of the sailors, and gives them special protection from deadly lightning and fires at sea. Santa Barbara received this name from Sebastian Vizcaino, when he sailed over these waters on that Saint's Day, December 4, 1603; and when Padre Junipero Serra established a mission near this channel on December 4, 1786, he named it Santa Barbara, Virgin y Martir (Saint Barbara, Virgin and Martyr). It is from these two sources that the county derived its name. *

* H.M. Moreno, Moreno's Dictionary of Spanish-Named California Cities and Towns, (San Luis Obispo, CA, 1916)

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