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Domestic Violence Solutions Will Celebrate Community and Collaboration during 11th Annual Luncheon Celebration

SANTA BARBARA, Calif., Jan. 16, 2019 - Domestic Violence Solutions (DVS) for Santa Barbara County is pleased to announce their upcoming 11th Annual Luncheon – *It takes more than a village... it takes a community.*



The luncheon will take place on Sunday, February 10, 2019, 11:00 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. at the Four Seasons Resort - The Biltmore, and will raise awareness and funds to support domestic violence victims and their families.

The event will be an afternoon filled with celebration and inspiration, highlighting the collaboration among all the nonprofits that serve victims and survivors of domestic violence and their families in Santa Barbara County. This year's honorees are the Office of the Santa Barbara County District Attorney, Joyce E. Dudley, the Victim-Witness Assistance Program, and a number of our partner agencies.

DVS is excited to announce inspirational passion speaker, America Preciado. "My name is America Preciado and I am a strong, courageous woman," says Preciado. "Domestic Violence Solutions fought for my freedom, and I am now a fighter for the weak. I wouldn't be who I am today if it wasn't for DVS".



Individual tickets and sponsorship opportunities are still available. For more information, please visit dvsolutions.org/11thAnnualLuncheon, call 805.963.4458 x109 or email Jenni-Elise Ramirez, Development Officer, at jennieliser@dvsolutions.org.

Domestic Violence Solutions is dedicated to ending the cycle of domestic violence by providing prevention and intervention services, emotional support and advocacy to those in crisis, and playing a leadership role in effecting social change. For more information, to make a donation or to learn about upcoming events, please contact Julia Black at juliab@dvsolutions.org or visit www.dvsolutions.org.

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