

*Before the Board of Supervisors in and for the
County of Monterey, State of California*

Resolution No.

Adopt a resolution honoring **Juan Baltierra** as a Monterey County Military and Veterans Affairs Advisory Commission's Veteran of the Year for 2022

WHEREAS, each year the County of Monterey and the Monterey County Veterans Services Advisory Commission honors those who have made a significant contribution to their communities, are strong motivators, have demonstrated extraordinary professional competence and are role models for veterans and the community as a whole; and

WHEREAS, the Monterey County Military and Veterans Services Advisory Commission is honored to recognize **Juan Baltierra** as a 2022 *Veteran of the Year*; and

WHEREAS, **Juan Baltierra** immigrated to the United States in 1953, settling in Los Angeles, California; and

WHEREAS, **Juan Baltierra** enlisted in the United States air force January of 1961; and

WHEREAS, **Juan Baltierra** was assigned to the 4520 United States Air Force Hospital Squadron as a Corpsman, and Medical Service Specialist; and

WHEREAS, **Juan Baltierra** was honorably discharged to attend California State University Los Angeles, where he majored in biology and pre-medical studies; and

WHEREAS, **Juan Baltierra** and his family arrived in Soledad in December of 1974; and

WHEREAS, **Juan Baltierra** became an active member in the community including becoming a member of the Soledad Rotary Club, elected as a trustee of the Soledad School District, and was appointed as a Trustee for the Natividad Medical Center; and

WHEREAS, at the age of eighty-eight, **Juan Baltierra** continues to serve his community as a Service Officer and Post Commander at the Soledad American Legion Post; and the local Catholic Church; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County and all residents thereof, honors **Juan Baltierra** as a 2022 Monterey County Military and Veterans Affairs Advisory Commission Veteran of the Year and wishes him continued success, peace, and happiness in all his future endeavors.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this ___ day of ____ 2020, upon motion of Supervisor _____, seconded by Supervisor _____ by the following vote, to-wit:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

I, Valeria Ralph, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Monterey, State of California, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of an original order of said Board of Supervisors duly made and entered in the minutes thereof of Minute Book_____ for the meeting on _____.

Dated:

Valeria Ralph, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

County of Monterey, State of California

By _____

Deputy