

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

Resolution No.:

Adopt a resolution recognizing **Bruce and Linda Taylor** as the Community Foundation for Monterey County's 2022 Distinguished Trustee Award Recipients

WHEREAS, each year the Community Foundation for Monterey County presents the Distinguished Trustee Award to someone who has demonstrated philanthropic leadership in our region and will present the 2022 Distinguished Trustee Award to **Bruce and Linda Taylor** on October 5, 2022; and

WHEREAS, Bruce Taylor and Linda Taylor, are long-time residents of Salinas, California and known for their generosity and leadership in giving back, both personally and through the Taylor Farms company to countless nonprofits working for healthy, safe, vibrant communities; and

WHEREAS, **Bruce Taylor** and partners founded Taylor Farms in 1995 which has become the leading North American producer of salads and healthy fresh foods employing 24,000 people; and

WHEREAS, the **Taylors** support opportunities for local students by giving generously to educational institutions such as California State University Monterey Bay; Hartnell College and Palma and Notre Dame High Schools; and

WHEREAS, **Taylor Farms** has invested in their employees and their families by creating the Taylor Farms Scholarship Program which has awarded \$3.1 million in 216 four-year scholarships in its first ten years to children of employees; and

WHEREAS, the Taylors have invested in youth through Boys and Girls Clubs of Monterey County, First Tee Monterey County, Digital Nest and the Rancho Cielo Ted Taylor Vocational Center and many more; and

WHEREAS, the Taylors invested in Salinas by building the Taylor Farms corporate headquarters downtown in 2015, revitalizing Oldtown and creating a thriving Salinas City Center; and

WHEREAS, Bruce and Linda Taylor have received many awards for their philanthropy and community service and now the 2022 CFMC Distinguished Trustee Award and strengthened our community through their philanthropic support of many causes throughout Monterey County

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County and all residents thereof, recognizes **Bruce and Linda Taylor** as the Community Foundation for Monterey County 2022 Distinguished Trustee Award Recipients and wishes them continued success in all of their future endeavors.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2022, 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 _____, 2022.

Dated:

Valerie Ralph, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
County of Monterey, State of California.

By _____
Deputy