

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

Resolution No.:

Adopt a Resolution Commending **Darlene Acosta** for Her Lifelong Dedication and Service to Monterey County and Acknowledge We Live in a Better Place Because of Her Efforts

WHEREAS, Darlene Acosta was motivated to serve her community because she felt the need for accountability, transparency, and fortitude; and

WHEREAS, Darlene Acosta served on the Greenfield City Council, serving two terms as mayor pro tem before moving to the City of King; and

WHEREAS, Darlene Acosta began representing the first district of the City of King as a councilmember in 2014; and

WHEREAS, Darlene Acosta was re-elected in 2018 and 2022 where she ran unopposed; and

WHEREAS, Darlene Acosta served on the 4 Cities 4 Peace from 2014 through 2021; and

WHEREAS, Darlene Acosta served as an alternate member of the Salinas Valley Solid Waste Authority; and

WHEREAS, Darlene Acosta accepted the Beacon Award at the League of California Cities on behalf of the City of King for the efforts the city has implemented to reduce greenhouse gases; and

WHEREAS, Darlene Acosta was the South County Prevention Program Manager at the Sun Street Centers and has been an advocate for our youth; and

WHEREAS, in her role as a councilmember, Darlene Acosta was a strong voice in finding solutions for public health and safety, especially when it came to addiction services for youth; and

WHEREAS, Darlene Acosta's legacy goes beyond her influence in the Council Chambers, as a mother, grandmother, and great grandmother, she has raised an incredibly powerful legacy; she has helped raise public servants, strong local business titans, and all of them are genuine and caring human beings, reflecting her honest heart.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County and its residents thereof, acknowledges, commends, and remembers **Darlene Acosta** for her lifelong leadership, perseverance, vision, dedication and recognizes she has made Monterey County a better place, including the many lives she touched and impacted throughout her life.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this ___ day of ____ 2023, 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