

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

**Resolution No.:**

Adopt Resolution recognizing North Monterey County )  
*Division Chief Joseph Pastore* upon his retirement after )  
36 years of loyal service to North Monterey County Fire Protection District.....)

**WHEREAS, *Joseph Pastore*** was raised in the Monterey Bay area and graduated from San Benito Joint Union High School; and,

**WHEREAS, *Joseph Pastore*** began his career in firefighting at age nineteen under the supervision of Fire Chief Joseph Rosa at the North Monterey County Fire Protection District and has served the citizens of North County with distinction and honor for thirty-six years; and,

**WHEREAS, *Joseph Pastore*** was named the successor to Division Chief Michael Vindhurst in 2005 and subsequently and assisted the District through many difficult events including the Duke Energy Oil Tank Fire of 2003, the flooding of the communities of Castroville and Pajaro in 1995 and 1997; and,

**WHEREAS, *Joseph Pastore*** exercised his skills to complete new specification and standardization of the District apparatus and equipment acquisitions, including the fire district first ever ladder truck, special operation of Urban Search and Rescue team for the District; Handling Facility and maintenance on fire apparatus and,

**WHEREAS, *Joseph Pastore*** presided with oversight for grant's administration for, Assistance to Firefighters grants securing new and advance rescue extraction equipment, fire hoses, replacement, breathing apparatus, firefighter protective equipment, and a Safer grant of which it added additional firefighters for 3 person engine company and updating automatic aid with nonboring fire agencies for boundary drop and closest' unit to respond.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors hereby expresses its great appreciation to Division ***Chief Joseph Pastore*** for his dedicated and distinguished service to all the citizens of this County, especially those who reside in the North County Fire Protection District boundaries, and extends its congratulations to Joseph Pastore as evidenced by the individual signatures of the Board members on this Resolution, in honor of his retirement as Division Chief of the North County Fire Protection District of Monterey County.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** on this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_, 2018, by the following vote, to wit:

- AYES:**
- NOES:**
- ABSENT:**

I, Valerie 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 resolution of said Board of Supervisors duly made and entered in the minutes thereof of Minute Book \_\_\_\_\_ for the meeting on \_\_\_\_\_.

Dated:

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

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy