

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

Resolution No.:

Adopt a resolution recognizing the **National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI) Monterey County** during **Mental Health Awareness Month 2025**.

WHEREAS, May is recognized nationally as **Mental Health Awareness Month**, a time dedicated to raising awareness and understanding of mental health issues affecting individuals and communities; and

WHEREAS, the **National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)** is the nation's largest grassroots mental health organization, dedicated to building better lives for millions of Americans affected by mental illness; and

WHEREAS, **NAMI Monterey County** has worked tirelessly to educate the public, support individuals living with mental health conditions, and provide critical resources to families and communities throughout the region; and

WHEREAS, **NAMI Monterey County** has empowered countless individuals with knowledge, tools and hope for recovery and resilience through programs such as Family-to-Family, Peer-to-Peer, Ending the Silence, and support groups; and

WHEREAS, **NAMI Monterey County** advocates for increased access to mental health services, supports decriminalization of mental illness and partners with local agencies, schools, and service providers to promote early intervention and holistic care; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the County of Monterey Board of Supervisors on behalf of all the County and its residents, thereof, hereby recognize and commend **NAMI Monterey County** for its unwavering commitment to mental health advocacy and support during **Mental Health Awareness Month 2025** and encourage all residents to participate in activities and programs that promote mental well-being and reduce the stigma associated with mental illness.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this ____ day of ____ 2025, upon motion of Supervisor _____, seconded by Supervisor _____ 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 order 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