

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

Resolution No.

Adopt Resolution recognizing **Thomas M. Payne**
on behalf of the Monterey County Veterans
Services Advisory Commission-District 1.

WHEREAS, Thomas M. Payne is granted in this honored tradition as a recipient of Monterey County Veteran of the Year for the year 2013 for his distinguished and valuable volunteerism and for his work on behalf of veterans as well as for his involvement with a variety of organizations throughout Monterey County for all of these past years; and

WHEREAS, Thomas M. Payne served in the United States Air Force from 1964 through 1968 and in the United States Army from 1968 until 1985; and

WHEREAS, Thomas M. Payne is a member of the American Legion Post 31 where he has served as 3rd Vice-President for the past two years, this year he will chair the 28th Annual Boys State Program, and for many years he has assisted American Legion Post 31 in feeding disabled veterans at the Palo Alto VA facility during the Holiday Season; and

WHEREAS, Thomas M. Payne has volunteered for over 13 years with the Laguna Seca Raceway, the Lions Club recycling projects, Salinas Air Show, Hartnell Little League Board of Directors and as a coach with the Hartnell Little League organization; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors on behalf of the county and all its citizens thereof, hereby commends **Thomas M. Payne** for his volunteer services to Veterans and our community and are pleased to honor him as District 1 Monterey County Veteran of the Year for 2013.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 22nd day of October of 2013, by the following vote, to-wit: