

*Before the Board of Supervisors  
County of Monterey, State of California*

**Resolution No.: 26-217**

Appoint Enedina Garcia as Monterey County Auditor- )  
Controller effective upon approval on July 7, 2026 )

**RESOLUTION AND ORDER OF APPOINTMENT**

This Resolution and Order of appointment is made with reference to the following facts and circumstances:

**WHEREAS**, Rupa Shah was the duly elected Monterey County Auditor-Controller, whose term of office was to end at 11:59 a.m. on Monday, January 4, 2027; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Board of Supervisors was previously informed of Rupa Shah's intent to retire, in accordance with Government Code, Section 1750, as Auditor-Controller, effective May 2, 2026, leaving several months remaining in her four-year term; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Registrar of Voters certified the Primary Election - June 2, 2026 results on June 26, 2026, which in the election of Enedina Garcia as the incoming Auditor-Controller; and,

**WHEREAS**, the Board is asked to consider the appointment of Enedina Garcia as Auditor-Controller with a term commencing effective upon appointment on July 7, 2026; and,

**WHEREAS**, the appointment of Enedina Garcia as Auditor-Controller will ensure the continuity of operational services and departmental leadership through the remainder of the unexpired term ending on January 4, 2027, at 11:59 am.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, the County of Monterey Board of Supervisors hereby:

APPOINTS Enedina Garcia as the County's Auditor-Controller for the period of July 7, 2026, upon appointment, through the remainder of the unexpired term ending on January 4, 2027 at 11:59 am. During the term of her appointment, Enedina Garcia shall have all powers and shall promptly and faithfully discharge all duties and responsibilities of the Office of the Auditor-Controller. The appointment shall become effective upon execution on July 7, 2026.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** on this 7th day of July 2026, by roll call vote:

AYES: Supervisors Alejo, Church, Lopez, Root Askew, and Daniels

NOES: None

ABSENT: None


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 82 for the meeting on July 7, 2026.

Dated: July 7, 2026

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Agenda Item No.: 14.1

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

  
Margarita Hernandez, Deputy