

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

Resolution No.

Adopt a resolution honoring **Sherman Twisselman** as a Monterey County Military and Veterans Affairs Advisory Commission's Veteran of the Year for 2024.

WHEREAS, each year the County of Monterey and the Monterey County Veterans Services Advisory Commission honor those who have made a significant contribution to their communities, are strong motivators, have demonstrated extraordinary professional competence, and are role models for veterans and the community as a whole; and

WHEREAS, the Monterey County Military and Veterans Services Advisory Commission is honored to recognize **Sherman Twisselman** as a 2024 Veteran of the Year; and

WHEREAS, **Sherman Twisselman** served in the United States Air Force from 1968-1972 as a weapons mechanic. He trained at Lackland AFB in San Antonio, Texas and served at Phan Rang, in Vietnam, where he tested and then loaded bombs, guns, and other weaponry onto F100s and F-4s; and

WHEREAS, **Sherman Twisselman** continued to serve his community after his military service, building cabinets, tables and doors for local schools and businesses, he donated wood and metal supplies to a local Boy Scout troop, painted golf carts with American flags for Monterey County veterans to transport people at events.; and

WHEREAS, **Sherman Twisselman** serves his fellow veterans at American Legion Prunedale Post 593 where he has built cabinets and shelving, as well as horseshoe and barbeque pits, signage and scoreboard. He has ordered and installed new appliances, built retaining walls and painted the front staircase; and

WHEREAS, **Sherman Twisselman** has also created fundraising games and participated in the activities while making sure everyone has plenty to eat; and

WHEREAS, **Sherman Twisselman** continues helping his neighbors with equipment repairs, tree removal, deliveries, and even household chores; and

WHEREAS, we extend our deepest appreciation and honor to **Sherman Twisselman** for his unwavering commitment and tireless efforts in pursuit of caring for the health, welfare, and well-being of residents, our esteemed veterans, and their families.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the County of Monterey Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County and all residents thereof, honors **Sherman Twisselman** as a 2024 Monterey County Military and Veterans Affairs Advisory Commission Veteran of the Year and wishes him continued success, peace, and happiness in all his future endeavors.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this ___ day of ____ 2024, 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