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

Resolution No.:

Adopt resolution honoring **Julie Edgcomb** upon her retirement from Natividad and public service to the residents of Monterey County

WHEREAS, Julie Edgcomb started working for Monterey County in 1973 at the Probation Department as a Special Service Unit Probation Aide and promoted to a Juvenile Hall Probation Counselor and worked as one of the first female Counselors at what was then the Natividad Boys' Ranch; and

WHEREAS, Julie Edgcomb left County employment in 1978 to pursue other public and private roles including running a successful business focused on Vocational Evaluation and Occupational Health for twelve years; and

WHEREAS, Julie Edgcomb returned to the public sector joining the Central California Alliance for Health *CCAH* in 1996 as a Provider Services Manager and was instrumental in expanding their services into Monterey County through engaging providers to become members of CCAH; and

WHEREAS, Julie Edgcomb served as a Consultant for Center Coast Center for Independent Living, Mee Memorial, and Natividad Medical Center on a variety of subject areas from 2001 to 2004; and

WHEREAS, Julie Edgcomb returned to Monterey County in 2004 as Outpatient Services Director at the Laurel Clinics and successfully worked on the transition of hospital-based clinics to Federally Qualified Health Center Lookalike *FQHC* status under the Health Department, thus greatly improving the financial viability of clinical operations; and

WHEREAS, Julie Edgcomb was promoted to Clinic Services Director in 2009 and later reclassified as Bureau Chief in 2011 and successfully expanded outpatient clinic services for the people of Monterey County, her efforts led to the completion of a new and expanded outpatient health center in Seaside and she collaborated with Natividad leadership to build a new family medicine clinic for our residency program thus ensuring a high-quality educational experience for the family medicine residents; and

WHEREAS, Julie Edgcomb became a Natividad employee in 2011 and served as the first jointly appointed Natividad and Clinic Services Bureau ambulatory care leader, in this role, Julie Edgcomb participated in collaborative health care asset planning between the FQHC clinics and the hospital based specialty clinics, her efforts resulted in improvements in the quality of care, patient access and the economic viability of the Monterey County's safety net; and

WHEREAS, in 2019 **Julie Edgcomb** led a successful application to HRSA for a Health Center Program New Access Points, her efforts will improve the health of the underserved and vulnerable populations in Monterey County and will further expand access to affordable, high quality, and cost-effective primary health care services; and

WHEREAS, Julie Edgcomb serves our Monterey County community as a board member of the Health Projects Center, a community nonprofit focusing on caregiver education and resources, as a board member of HPC, she supports the Multipurpose Senior Services Program which offers free social work

and nursing services to medically isolated, frail and underinsured older adults who are at risk for premature institutionalization or loss of independence; and

WHERAS, Julie Edgcomb has been an instructor at Hartnell College during her residency in Monterey County, contributing to advancing of higher education in our community; and

WHEREAS, Julie Edgcomb serves as a public representative on the governing board of the Central California Alliance for Health a regional, non-profit, Medi-Cal managed care health plan providing access to health care for lower income residents.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that Monterey County Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County and all residents thereof, hereby acknowledge Julie Edgcomb's dedicated Service to Monterey County.

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