

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

Resolution No.

Adopt Resolution proclaiming September 2019 as _____)
Electromagnetic Sensitivities Awareness Month in Monterey County...)

WHEREAS, the U.S. Federal Access Board recognized issues pertaining to electromagnetic sensitivities (EMS) and that EMS may potentially be qualified as disabling; and

WHEREAS, the economic impacts of all disabilities may fall onto local governments, causing increased social and medical service costs, with associated loss of economic drivers and loss of revenues; and

WHEREAS, Monterey County supports the health and wellbeing of all residents, including vulnerable populations; and

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Labor continues to develop information on how to accommodate people with disabilities in the workplace, and California has developed Cleaner Air Room guidelines with a symbol that can be used to designate a room that includes lessened EMS exposure;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors do hereby declare September 2018 as **Electromagnetic Sensitivities (EMS) Awareness Month** in Monterey County and encourage engagement in interactive dialogue with those impacted by EMS to reduce stigma and increase understanding, inclusionary policies, and appropriate accommodations.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this 28th day of August 2018, 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 resolution of said Board of Supervisors duly made and entered in the minutes thereof of Minute Book for the meeting on August 28, 2018.

Dated

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

By _____
Deputy