

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

Resolution No.:

Adopt Resolution in recognition of **Legal Services for Seniors** 30th Anniversary.....)

WHEREAS, Legal Services for Seniors was formed in 1985 by four local women, Marian Penn, Linda Frederiksen, Shary Farr and Janice Wright; and

WHEREAS, Legal Services for Seniors constantly works to improve and expand its services under the dedicated guidance of its executive director; and

WHEREAS, Legal Services for Seniors has a broad base of public and private support and is governed by a dedicated board of directors, assisted by a loyal council of advisors; and

WHEREAS, Legal Services for Seniors employs a talented and knowledgeable staff of attorneys, legal advocates, and support staff; and

WHEREAS, Legal Services for Seniors provides no-cost legal representation, from simple consultation to complex litigation, to individuals, age sixty or older who are faced with legal and bureaucratic actions that negatively affect the quality of their lives; and

WHEREAS, Legal Services for Seniors offers assistance in areas of health care, housing public benefits, income protection, long term care and planning, guardianships and elder abuse, both physical and financial; and

WHEREAS, Legal Services for Seniors is the only agency in Monterey County, solely providing no-cost legal assistance to our elderly citizens; and

WHEREAS, Legal Services for Seniors maintains offices in Salinas and Seaside, and performs outreach legal services for the communities of King City, Greenfield, Soledad, and Gonzales, as well as in Castroville, Prunedale, Carmel, Monterey, Carmel Valley, and Pacific Grove; and

WHEREAS, Legal Services for Seniors provides training and assistance to other Monterey County agencies and organizations, including Meals on Wheels, Alliance on Aging and other agencies, to assist and inform homebound and other seniors about the availability of no-cost legal services from **Legal Services for Seniors**.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors on behalf of the County and all of its citizens thereof, hereby acknowledges, recognizes **Legal Services for Seniors**, their staff and volunteers, for the indispensable contribution to Monterey County seniors over the last 30 years.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this ___ day of April 2015, by the following vote, to wit:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

I, Gail T. Borkowski, 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:

Gail T. Borkowski, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
County of Monterey, State of California

By _____

Deputy