



BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

RESOLUTION

Resolution No.: 24-392

Adopt a resolution recognizing November 2024 as National Family Caregivers Month in the County of Monterey.....)

WHEREAS, in 1965, Congress passed the Older Americans Act, which provides guidance and funding to the States to give help to caregivers; and

WHEREAS, November 2024 is proclaimed as National Family Caregivers Month; this year's theme is "I care," which reflects caregiver's dedication and determination in providing the best care possible for those who need it most; and

WHEREAS, through their unwavering support and compassion, caregivers provide their care recipients the opportunity to live life to the fullest extent possible; and

WHEREAS, there are an estimated 100 million family caregivers in this country, including almost 6,000 In-Home Supportive Services (IHSS) caregiving providers in the County of Monterey; and

WHEREAS, the County of Monterey acknowledges the significant challenges and sacrifices that caregivers face, who continuously demonstrate how much they care through ensuring the health, safety, and well-being of their care recipients; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the County of Monterey Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County and all its residents, the Department of Social Services, and members of the IHSS Advisory Committee, do hereby proclaim November 2024 as National Family Caregivers Month and honor the incredible commitment, dedication, and sacrifice of family caregivers.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this 12th day of November 2024

Chair Supervisor Glenn Church

Vice Chair Supervisor Chris Lopez

Supervisor Wendy Root Askew

Supervisor Luis Aljo

Supervisor Mary I. Adams

