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

Resolution No.

Resolution honoring the **King City Young Farmers**Upon their selection as the **2013 King City Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture Friend of the Community**

WHEREAS, *the King City Young Farmers* have been selected as King City Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture Friend of the Community, the award recognizes a business or community member/s whose participation contributes to the welfare of the community; and

WHEREAS, *the King City Young Farmers* have been active in the King City and South County communities since 1975; and

WHEREAS, the King City Young Farmers are a non-profit organization that primarily serve the needs of the youth in South Monterey County communities and have donated approximately two-million dollars to those causes they serve; and

WHEREAS, *the King City Young Farmers* have been major contributors to the Salinas Valley Fairgrounds facility, King City, and Greenfield Agricultural programs which include FFA Chapters; and

WHEREAS, *the King City Young Farmers* established the *Avenue of Honor* at Monterey County's San Lorenzo Park which honors the service men and women who were killed in action during foreign wars; and

WHEREAS, *the King City Young Farmers* built the world's largest salad in 1988, weighing in at 114,800 pounds to help Salinas Valley earn the title of *Salad Bowl of the Nation*; and

WHEREAS, *the King City Young Farmers* in the year 2000, earned and donated \$400,000 to the research of Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis and fund the John Gill ALS Patient Support Program on California's Central Coast.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County and all citizens thereof, honor the *King City Young Farmers* as the **2013 King City Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture Friend of the Community** and wishes them continued success, peace and happiness in all of their future endeavors.

| PASSED AND ADOPTED following vote, to wit: | on this day of | , 2014 by the |
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| AYES: NOES: ABSENT: | | |
| | a true copy of an original order of | ounty of Monterey, State of California, f said Board Supervisors duly made and on |
| Dated: | | |
| | Gail T. Borkowski, Board of Superviso Monterey, State of Ca | ors, County of |
| | By | Deputy |