

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

Resolution No.

Resolution commending **Dean Flippo**  
on his selection by Community Partnership  
for Youth as a community leader who is making  
a difference in the lives of the youth.

**WHEREAS, Dean Flippo** is the longest serving District Attorney for Monterey County, serving as the Chief Public Prosecutor with responsibility to conduct all prosecutions on behalf of the people of Monterey County;

**WHEREAS, Dean Flippo** is a graduate of the College of William & Mary, Williamsburg, Virginia, where he earned his Bachelor of Arts in 1963, and graduated from Wayne State University Law School where he earned his Juris Doctorate in 1966;

**WHEREAS, Dean Flippo** began his career in law in the United States Army in 1967 where he served as a Chief Prosecutor, Post Judge Advocate, Military Judge, and was the recipient of the Army Meritorious Service Medal. He later served as an Assistant Prosecuting Attorney in Genesee County, Flint, Michigan, where he headed a strike force against public corruption and organized crime;

**WHEREAS, Dean Flippo** was elected District Attorney for the County of Monterey by an overwhelming margin in 1990 after beginning a distinguished career as a Prosecutor in Monterey County in 1972;

**WHEREAS, during his tenure as District Attorney, Dean Flippo** established a Juvenile and Adult Gang Prosecution Unit, Domestic Violence Prosecution Program, Child Abduction Unit, Workers' Compensation Fraud Unit, Child Assault Victim Multi-Disciplinary Interview Team, Sexual Assault Response Team, Auto Fraud Unit, Restitution Case Disposition Unit, Statutory Rape Vertical Prosecution Unit, Bilingual Special Emphasis Victim Unit, and a State Prison Prosecution Unit;

**WHEREAS, Dean Flippo** established the statewide recognized Truancy Abatement Unit which works closely with schools and families to bring about compliance with mandatory school attendance laws. In most cases, parents and students do their part in cooperating to resolve issues related to truancy through voluntary compliance with the compulsory school attendance laws resulting in successful outcomes, however, in cases that do not result in satisfactory school attendance, criminal charges are filed against the minor and/or the minor's parents or guardians, with the ultimate goal to ensure that all students receive the education they so greatly need to develop into responsible, productive adults;

**WHEREAS, the Monterey County District Attorney's Family Support Division** was one of California's most productive and innovative counties in child support enforcement from 1991 until July 2001, and in 1999 **Dean Flippo** was recognized as the Outstanding Manager of the Year by the National Child Support Enforcement Association;

**WHEREAS, Dean Flippo** is the Vice President of the California District Attorneys Association and elected to be President in 2013, the State Chair for the California District Attorneys Association Consumer Protection Committee, and a member of the National District Attorney's Association. His many memberships include the Affirmative Action Plan Development Committee; Child Abuse Prevention Council; Children's Council of Monterey County; Community Alliance for Safety and Peace; Honorary Advisory Board Member Community Partnership for Youth; Monterey County Joint Gang Task Force; Crime Victims Bureau; the Juvenile Justice & Gang Violence Task Force, and the past Board of Directors of the National Child Support Enforcement Association. Additionally, he serves as a volunteer for many community organizations, and is a member of the Boards of Directors for several organizations and chairs several committees.

**WHEREAS, Dean Flippo** has been a faculty member for over twenty-five years at Golden Gate University and Monterey Peninsula College where he has instructed graduate and undergraduate courses in Public Administration, Administration of Justice, Social Science, American History and American Government; and

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County and all citizens thereof, congratulates **Dean Flippo** on his selection by Community Partnership for Youth as a community leader who is making a difference in the lives of the youth and wishes his continued success in all of his future endeavors.