

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

Resolution No.

Adopt a resolution in appreciation of **Coastal Kids Home Care** and declaration **Childhood Cancer Awareness Month**

WHEREAS, childhood cancer is the leading cause of death by disease in children, and;

WHEREAS, 1 in 285 children in the United States will be diagnosed by their 20th birthday, and;

WHEREAS, hundreds of non-profit organizations at the local and national level, including **Coastal Kids Home Care** are helping children with cancer and their families cope through educational, emotional and financial support, and;

WHEREAS, for the last sixteen years the nurses, counselors, and therapists of **Coastal Kids Home Care** work diligently dedicating their expertise to treat medically fragile children and children with cancer in the County of Monterey, and;

WHEREAS, families of children with cancer in the County of Monterey receive palliative care, medical equipment, bereavement support, and other essential services from **Coastal Kids Home Care**; and

WHEREAS, **Coastal Kids Home Care** is a trusted community partner providing in home pediatric medical care to children with cancer and supportive services for their families in Monterey County; and

WHEREAS, it is important for all Monterey County residents to recognize the impact of pediatric cancer on families within our community and honor the lives of children in our community whose lives have been cut short by cancer.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County and its residents thereof, hereby declare September as **Childhood Cancer Awareness Month** in the County of Monterey and do hereby honor **Coastal Kids Home Care** for their outstanding support to our community and acknowledge the organization's contributions to Childhood Cancer Awareness Month, honoring children with cancer in our community.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this XXth day of August 2021, upon motion of Supervisor _____, seconded by Supervisor _____, by the following vote, to-wit:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

I, _____, 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 _____.

Dated:

_____, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

County of Monterey, State of California

By _____