## Before the Board of Supervisors in and for the County of Monterey, State of California Resolution No.

Adopt a resolution recognizing *November 18-22, 2024 as California Counties* ) *Clerk of the Board Week* and honoring our own County of Monterey Clerk of ) the Board and Staff for their outstanding work for the Board of Supervisors..... )

WHEREAS, California counties provide many services that are essential to the lives of Californians; and

**WHEREAS**, the position of the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors (Board) plays an integral role in the function of California County governments, particularly the County of Monterey; and

**WHEREAS**, the Clerk of the Board performs many legally mandated functions that protect and preserve the rights of the citizens to an open and accessible government; and

**WHEREAS**, the work performed by Clerks of the Board is a time-honored and vital part of local government; and

**WHEREAS**, the Clerks' duties of record keeping is revered, their work among the earliest recorded on behalf of the public, and Clerks have long pledged to maintain their neutrality and impartiality of the proceedings of government; and

**WHEREAS,** the California Clerk of the Board of Supervisors Association, an affiliate of the California State Association of Counties, is organized to promote the principles of good government, to represent the interests of Clerks of the Board with legislative bodies and other professional organizations, to encourage the development of professional growth and education, and to support the objectives of all regional groups established within the Association; and

**WHEREAS,** it is most appropriate that we recognize the accomplishments of Clerks of the Board across the 58 counties in the State of California, and particularly our own Clerk, Valerie Ralph, along with her staff, Caitlyn Campos, Margarita Hernandez, Iracema Lopez, Vicente Ramirez, and Emmanuel Santos.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT PROCLAIMED,** that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Monterey does herewith proclaim the week of November 18-22, 2024 as "*California Clerk of the Board of Supervisors Week*" in recognition of the high level of services bestowed upon the people of the County of Monterey and the people of California by Clerks of the Board, in particular, our County of Monterey Clerk of the Board and her staff.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this _	day of	, 2024, by the following vote, to wit:
AYES:		
NOES:		
ABSENT:		

I, Valerie Ralph, 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:

Valerie Ralph, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors County of Monterey, State of California

By \_\_\_\_\_ Deputy