

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

**Resolution No.:**

Adopt Resolution honoring **Jaqueline M. Pierce** as )  
the recipient of **The Justice Phil Sheridan Gibson Award**..... )

**WHEREAS, Jaqueline M. Pierce** is an *AV rated* trial attorney and the emphasis of her practice is complex catastrophic property and casualty cases; and

**WHEREAS, Jaqueline M. Pierce** has successfully represented individuals, businesses, property owners, public entities, and commercial insurance carriers for over thirty years, and regularly advises businesses and insurance carriers on risk assessment, case evaluation, and fair claims practices.; and

**WHEREAS, Jaqueline M. Pierce's** areas of practice have included product liability, professional and medical negligence, trade libel, habitability, fire loss, insurance bad faith, and motor vehicle liability; and

**WHEREAS, Jaqueline M. Pierce** is listed in *A.M. Best's Recommended Insurance Attorneys*; and

**WHEREAS, Jaqueline M. Pierce** has completed extensive mediation certification at both Pepperdine University's Straus Institute and at the Mandell-Gisnet Center for Conflict Management at Monterey College of Law, where she has also taught trial advocacy; and

**WHEREAS, Jaqueline M. Pierce** has mediated and arbitrated in excess of two hundred cases, and conducts pro bono fee arbitrations for the Monterey County Bar Association; and

**WHEREAS, Jaqueline M. Pierce** has served on the Monterey Superior Court Task Force for Alternate Dispute Resolution since 2008 and has served as a judge pro-tem for settlement conferences at Monterey County Superior Court; and

**WHEREAS, Jaqueline M. Pierce** has been associated with Compassionate Care Alliance *founding member and legal counsel*, the Breast Care Center of Community Hospital *Advisory Board*, St. Mary's By-The-Sea, Pacific Grove, *The Celtoid Kids* Celtic Music program, The Diocese of El Camino Real, and the Executive Committee of the Monterey County Bar Association; and

**WHEREAS, Jaqueline M. Pierce** is a musician and promotes community engagement through music in various capacities, including serving on the board of Orchestra in The Schools, Inc.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Supervisors of Monterey County, on behalf of the County and all its citizens thereof, acknowledges and congratulates **Jaqueline M. Pierce** as the recipient of **The Justice Phil Sheridan Gibson Award**.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** on this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_ 2019, upon motion of Supervisor \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by Supervisor \_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_, 2019.

Dated:

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

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