

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

Resolution No.

Resolution of Proclamation Honoring **Amanda Bakker**)
upon her selection as one of eleven Outstanding Women of)
Monterey County for 2014)

Whereas, Amanda Bakker has devoted her skills, time and energy to serving Monterey County and has been selected by the Monterey County Commission of the Status of Women as one of eleven Outstanding Women in Monterey County for 2014; and

Whereas, Amanda Bakker is dedicated to serving children facing challenges due to physical and developmental disabilities; and

Whereas, Amanda Bakker is founder of Tatum’s Garden, an inclusive playground which accommodates children with physical and developmental challenges or disabilities, serving more than 6,800 children in Monterey County who may not otherwise be able to fully navigate the average playground, Tatum’s Garden is inspired by her youngest child Tatum Bakker and her personal story of challenges caused by Spina Bifida; and

Whereas, Amanda Bakker established a non-profit organization, garnering the support of more than 3,000 volunteers for a community driven construction project and raised more than \$1.2 million to fund the development; and

Whereas, Amanda Bakker is a highly regarded community leader who identified a critical community need, making Tatum’s Garden the only playground of its kind in Monterey County, and was granted the Service Above Self Awards by the Santa Clara County San Andreas Regional Center.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors and all citizens therefore hereby congratulate the family of Amanda Bakker on her selection as one of eleven Outstanding Women in Monterey County for 2014 and honors her contribution to the betterment of Monterey County.

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

- AYES:
- NOES:
- ABSENT:

I, Gail T. Borkowski, 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 _____.

Dated:

Supervisor Lou Calcagno, Chair

Gail T. Borkowski Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
County of Monterey, State of California

By _____
Deputy