

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

Resolution No:

Resolution recognizing and congratulating **John Narigi** upon his _____)
retirement after more than thirty-seven years in the hospitality industry.....)

WHEREAS, a native of Gig Harbor, Washington, **John Narigi** is a graduate of Gonzaga University in Spokane, Washington, as well as husband and father; and

WHEREAS, after career opportunities in Portland, Oregon, the San Francisco Bay Area, and Kirkland, Washington, in 1993, **John Narigi** moved to the Monterey Peninsula to serve as Vice President and General Manager of the Monterey Plaza Hotel and Spa; and

WHEREAS, **John Narigi** has served on numerous boards, both civic and hospitality related, including the Monterey Peninsula Chamber of Commerce and Visitors Bureau, Monterey Peninsula Convention and Visitors Bureau, Monterey Commercial Property Owners Association, the Cannery Row Business Association, Monterey County Hospitality Association, United Way Monterey County, and Rancho Cielo; and

WHEREAS, **John Narigi** was intimately involved with the creation of the TID funding mechanism to expand the Monterey County Convention and Visitors Bureau’s budget, as well as serving on the committee to establish an industry funding source for the renovation of the Monterey Conference Center; and

WHEREAS, **John Narigi** has numerous awards and accolades including: Monterey County Hospitality Association’s “Hospitality Professional of the Year” (2001), California Hotel & Lodging Association’s “Outstanding General Manager of the Year” (2006), the 2011 Monterey Business Hall of Fame by Junior Achievement of Northern California, and Citizen of the Year for the Monterey Peninsula Chamber of Commerce in 2017; and

WHEREAS, when asked what he has truly enjoyed over the years, **John Narigi** highlights his over thirty-five-year marriage to wife Roxanne, and having coached his two sons, Anthony and Dominick, in their various sporting endeavors and co-chairing high school renovation projects such as Palma High School’s baseball field and Monterey High’s football field and track renovation; and

WHEREAS, John Narigi will now retire from a distinguished career, highlighted by his skillful development and expansion of the Monterey Plaza Hotel & Spa’s luxury profile and reputation, and return to the Pacific Northwest to enjoy family and recreational interests;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County and all citizens thereof, hereby recognize and congratulate **John Narigi** on his retirement after more than thirty-seven years in the hospitality, as well as express our sincere thanks and appreciation for his work to grow our Monterey County.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this xxst day of May 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 resolution of said Board of Supervisors duly made and entered in the minutes thereof of Minute Book ____ for the meeting on May 21, 2019.

Dated

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

By _____