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

## **Resolution No.**

Adopt Resolution honoring **Gail S. Terry** on the occasion of her retirement after 35 years of distinguished service with the County of Monterey, Department of Social and Employment Services

WHEREAS, Gail S. Terry began her career serving the public as a Family Service Aid for the State of Florida, Department of Human Resources, doing determination of food stamp eligibility and as a liaison with the State of Florida, Department of Employment Development; and

**WHEREAS, Gail S. Terry** began her thirty-five year career with Monterey County on August 15, 1977 as a seasonal Eligibility Worker I, then became a permanent employee of the Monterey County Department of Social and Employment Services on December 3, 1977; and

WHEREAS, for 12.5 years, Gail S. Terry provided excellent customer service in Community Benefits, as an Eligibility Worker I, II, III and Eligibility Supervisor, including assisting in the departmental operations in Salinas and Seaside, working in all major aid programs including CalWORKs (formerly AFDC), Food Stamps, General Assistance, and Medi-Cal; and

WHEREAS, Gail S. Terry, as an Eligibility Worker III and Eligibility Supervisor, excelled in working on special projects, most notably the SDSS SAWS Pilot Project (MAGIC) in Merced County, delving into integrated automated systems and developing user guides for the new systems; and

WHEREAS, for the last 22.5 years, Gail S. Terry displayed her outstanding technical skills as a member of the Administrative Services Branch, serving as a Staff Services Analyst, Senior Staff Services Analyst, Management Analyst III and Finance Manager I, responsible for coordinating the data processing systems of Benefit Issuance, and was instrumental in creating automated interfaces with Information Technology Department; and

WHEREAS, Gail S. Terry was integral in the development and implementation of automated systems for the Department, including the Integrated Statewide Automated Welfare System (ISAWS), including the Welfare-to-Work module, Electronic Benefit Issuance, C-IV, and the General Assistance Online System; and

**WHEREAS**, over the course of her career at the Department of Social and Employment Services, **Gail S Terry** garnered many commendations and letters of appreciation for her outstanding service and skills to both customers and fellow employees; and

**WHEREAS, Gail S Terry** has chosen to retire from the Monterey County Department of Social and Employment Services after 35 years of service in the County of Monterey, effective December 28, 2012, her dedication to public service and professionalism will be remembered and appreciated by those who worked with her over the years.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Board of Supervisors herby commends and thanks **Gail S Terry** for her outstanding service, exceptional dedication and many contributions during her career to the County of Monterey and its citizens, and wishes her well in her retirement.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2012 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 Supervisors duly made and entered in the minutes thereof of Minute Book \_\_\_\_\_, for the meeting on \_\_\_\_\_.

Dated:

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

By\_\_\_\_\_

Deputy