

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

Resolution No.

Adopt a Resolution Proclaiming July 26th, 27th, and 28th, 2013 as “MDA Days”)
in Monterey County and recognizing the efforts of the Salinas City Firefighters Association,
Local 1270 members in the Fill-the-Boot Campaign to Support the cause of “MDA Days”)

WHEREAS, Muscular Dystrophy refers to a group of more than 43 neuromuscular diseases that caused generalized weakness and muscle wasting; two of the most common neuromuscular diseases include Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy, a disease found in children that progresses slowly, with survival rare beyond their late twenties, and Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (Lou Gehrig’s Disease) a disorder that progresses rapidly in adults; and

WHEREAS, *The Muscular Dystrophy Association* is a dedicated partnership of scientists and citizens aimed at conquering neuromuscular diseases. *MDA* is one of the world’s leading national health agencies, with seventy-seven percent of every dollar raised funding research, patient care, summer camp, and education; and

WHEREAS, members of the *Salinas City Firefighters Association, Local 1270* serve and protect communities throughout Salinas every day; and

WHEREAS, members of the *Salinas City Firefighters Association, Local 1270* have become a symbol of pride honor and strength; and

WHEREAS, members of the *Salinas City Firefighters Association, Local 1270* selflessly donate their time and energy to supporting the battle against muscular dystrophy, and

WHEREAS, firefighters across the nation are some of the largest contributors in the United States to the *Muscular Dystrophy Association*. Proceeds provide comprehensive medical services to tens of thousands of adults and children with neuromuscular diseases and contributes to research for treatments and cures; and

WHEREAS, in 2012 *the Salinas City Firefighters Association, Local 1270 members* hit the streets for MDA’s Fill-the-Boot campaign, raising a record breaking \$28,619.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors *proclaims July 26th, 27th, and 28th as MDA Days in Monterey County* and urges citizens to Fill the Boot!

PASSED and ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2013, 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 _____, on

_____.

Dated:

Fernando Armenta, Chair

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

, Deputy