

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

Adopt Resolution Honoring Carla Diane Wright upon her)
retirement from the Monterey Peninsula Unified School)
District after 36 Years of Service.....)

WHEREAS, on June 6, 2014 *Carla Diane Wright* will retire from teaching after an illustrious 36 year career with the Monterey Peninsula Unified School district; and

WHEREAS, *Carla Diane Wright*; has amazingly, spent every single one of her 36 years teaching at Ord Terrace Elementary School; and,

WHEREAS, *Carla Diane Wright*; is one of a kind. Her unique presentation style makes learning fun. Her classroom environment is exciting, colorful, and student oriented, however students are expected to abide by set standards, but are given much support, nurturing care, and positive reinforcement; and.

WHEREAS, *Carla Diane Wright*; even during her last year of teaching, her dedication to each and every one of her students is obvious the minute you walk into her classroom. The walls are covered with student work and engaging content. Students mentor other students. Each day, a student helps teach a lesson and learning is happening constantly. When Carla speaks, she commands attention because they can tell that she is 100% behind them. She listens to students, so they listen to her; and

WHEREAS, *Carla Diane Wright*; is an advocate for agricultural literacy and awareness. She has dedicated herself to enriching her students’ education by incorporating agriculture into her class curriculum. Over the years, she has become well known for her knowledge and expertise of using agriculture themes for instruction and has shared her knowledge of agriculture by presenting at conferences throughout the country. Annually, she takes a strong leadership role in structuring and facilitating Monterey County Agricultural Education, Inc. ”Farm Day Experience”, and

WHEREAS, *Carla Diane Wright*; has also continued to embrace the art of teaching art-even in the age of No Child Left Behind, her students’ art has decorated the halls of Ord Terrace every year. She knows the importance of nurturing our students’ creativity; and,

WHEREAS, *Carla Diane Wright*; accomplishments include receiving the 1994 Lou Flag Award for Excellence in Teaching, receiving the 2003 California Foundation for Agriculture in the Classroom Outstanding Educator Award, receiving the 2003 Excellence in Teaching about Agriculture Award presented by United States Department of Agriculture, serving as Board member for Monterey County Agriculture Education, Inc., and receiving the 2010 Spirit of Agriculture Award, the 2012 “Valley of the World Education Award, a “Crystal Apple Award” presented by KSBW-TV, April 2014; and Resolutions of Commendations from State Senator Henry J. Mello, the Monterey County Board of Supervisors, The Honorable Bruce McPherson, and the Monterey County Board of Education.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County and all citizens thereof, does hereby recognize *Carla Diane Wright* for her significant professional achievements and express their gratitude for the invaluable contributions she has made to the Monterey Peninsula Unified School District and hereby congratulates her upon her retirement after 36 years of service.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this 20th day of May 2014, 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 on _____.

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

By _____
Deputy