

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

Resolution No.

Adopt Resolution honoring Terry L. Spitz upon his retirement)
from the County of Monterey after 35 Years of Public Service)
with the District Attorney's Office.....)

WHEREAS, Terry L. Spitz has worked in the Monterey County District Attorney's Office for 35 years, beginning on February 24, 1979, as a Deputy District Attorney I. He quickly excelled through the ranks, promoting on June 30, 1979, to Deputy District Attorney II; on May 31, 1980, to Deputy District Attorney III; and on December 26, 1981, to Deputy District Attorney IV; and to Assistant District Attorney, on November 20, 1999. On February 26, 2001, **Terry L. Spitz** was appointed to Chief Assistant District Attorney, the position he held until his retirement; and

WHEREAS, in 1990, **Terry L. Spitz** was named one of the most effective prosecutors in the state of California by the *California Lawyer* magazine. In 1995, he was named Monterey County Employee of the Year for his work involving gang prosecutions. In 1997, he was the first attorney ever to be honored by the Monterey County Peace Officers Association, receiving the *Award of Excellence* for his work with a multi-agency task force. In 2013, he was the recipient of the Monterey County Bar Association's *Lewis L. Fenton Award for Excellence in Advocacy*; and

WHEREAS, Terry L. Spitz was the first graduating *summa cum laude* from Claremont McKenna College, with a degree in Political Science; received his Juris Doctorate degree from the University of California, Berkeley; was an Honors Graduate of the United States Army Judge Advocate General's School at the University of Virginia and an Honors Graduate of the Defense Language Institute at the Presidio of Monterey in German; and

WHEREAS, Terry L. Spitz has provided over three decades of dedicated service to Monterey County and greatly contributed to the quality and success of the District Attorney's Office, served as the District Attorney's designee on various matters, has authored articles in California District Attorney Association's publications and served as an instructor and a longstanding member of the Legislative Committee, and has consistently exemplified the qualities and traits of a professional; and

WHEREAS, Terry L. Spitz will enjoy his retirement spending time with his wife Julie, and venturing into the vast wilderness areas which he has not yet explored.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Monterey, on behalf of the County and all of its citizens hereof, hereby acknowledges, commends, and thanks **Terry L. Spitz** for all of his contributions and dedication of service to Monterey County.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board hereby congratulates **Terry L. Spitz** upon his retirement and wishes him success, good health, and happiness.

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 77 for the meeting September 23, 2014.

Dated: September 23, 2014

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

By _____
Deputy