

RESOLUTION

Resolution No.: 25-085

WHEREAS, King City Town Square is a family-owned enterprise that has become a cornerstone of Downtown King City, thoughtfully designed as a central gathering place for business, community, and entertainment; and

WHEREAS, King City Town Square was originally developed as a city project to revitalize the 200 block of Broadway, but after financial challenges led to foreclosure in 2003, Chris Davis and his family took over management and restored it into a thriving commercial hub; and

WHEREAS, King City Town Square is home to a diverse mix of businesses and organizations, including the King City Chamber of Commerce, San Lorenzo Liquors, Monterey County One Stop Career Center, La Michoacana Paleteria, County Behavioral Health, Kinship Center, and the newly added electric vehicle charging station; and

WHEREAS, King City Town Square serves as the heart of King City's civic and cultural life, hosting the annual Christmas Parade, El Grito celebrations, car shows, talent showcases, Blue Zone walks, and other community events; and

WHEREAS, the Davis family has modernized and upgraded King City Cinemas, ensuring a high-quality entertainment experience for the community; and

WHEREAS, King City Town Square has demonstrated a commitment to community enrichment by donating movie theater gift cards for local fundraisers, contributing to the success of charitable efforts and youth initiatives; and

WHEREAS, King City Town Square encompasses over fifty thousand square feet of high-visibility commercial space, including offices, retail stores, the Cork & Plough restaurant, a movie theater, a childcare center, and a Hartnell College campus, enhancing the economic vitality of the downtown district; and

WHEREAS, owner Chris Davis has played an instrumental role in revitalizing King City's downtown area, not only through his leadership of the King City Town Square but also by spearheading the renovation of the historic Vendome Hotel, creating additional commerce opportunities for the community.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the County of Monterey Board of Supervisors on behalf of all the County and its residents, thereof, hereby recognizes King City Town Square for their contributions to the community and to Monterey County, and hereby congratulates them upon being selected as the recipient of the King City Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture's 2024 Business of the Year Award.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this 25th day of March 2025

Chair Supervisor Chris Lopez

Vice Chair Supervisor Wendy Root Askew

Supervisor Glenn Church

Supervisor Luis A. Alejo

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