

## RESOLUTION

Resolution No.: 25-366

Adopt a resolution honoring the City of Marina on its 50th Anniversary.

WHEREAS, the City of Marina was incorporated on November 13, 1975, becoming Monterey County's newest municipality, built upon a legacy of diverse cultures, military service, and a strong sense of community; and

WHEREAS, the City of Marina was founded with a vision to create and embraced opportunity, value natural beauty, foster community spirit, and today continues to thrive as a home to residents, businesses, military families, students, and visitors; and

WHEREAS, over the past 50 years, the City of Marina has grown from a modest coastal town to a dynamic municipality recognized for its innovative planning, sustainable growth, and commitment to environmental stewardship, economic vitality, and quality of life; and

WHEREAS, the City of Marina has benefitted from the rich cultural contributions of its residents, whose diverse backgrounds, traditions, and talents have shaped Marina into a welcoming and inclusive community; and

WHEREAS, the City of Marina's history is deeply intertwined with the former Fort Ord military installation, and the city continues to honor that legacy through its commitment to veterans, its stewardship of Fort Ord lands, and its transformation of former military property into thriving residential, educational, and recreational spaces; and

WHEREAS, the City of Marina has earned recognition as a forward-thinking city that invests in infrastructure, parks, housing, and services that benefit future generations, while honoring its past and preserving its small-town character; and

WHEREAS, the City of Marina celebrates its 50th Anniversary in 2025, the Monterey County Board of Supervisors recognizes the city's rich history, significant achievements, and ongoing contributions to the quality of life for residents throughout the region; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the County of Monterey Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County and all residents thereof, hereby recognize and congratulate the City of Marina on the occasion of its 50th Anniversary, commending its leaders, residents, and community partners for five decades of service, innovation, and stewardship, and extends best wishes for continued prosperity in the decades ahead.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this 14th day of October 2025

Chair Supervisor Chris Lopez

Vice Chair Supervisor Wendy Root Askew

Supervisor Glenn Church

Supervisor Luis A. Alejo

Supervisor Kate Daniels