

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

**Resolution No.:**

Adopt a resolution honoring **The Naval Postgraduate School** as the distinguished recipient of the 2025 Education “Innovators + Influencers”

**WHEREAS**, the Monterey County Board of Supervisors recognizes the profound impact of institutions that advance knowledge, foster innovation, and contribute to the economic and social well-being of our community; and

**WHEREAS**, the **Naval Postgraduate School** has long been a cornerstone of higher education and applied research, serving as a premier institution dedicated to developing military and civilian leaders through rigorous academic programs, technological innovation, and strategic problem-solving; and

**WHEREAS**, the **Naval Postgraduate School** has made groundbreaking advancements in fields such as cybersecurity, artificial intelligence, defense technology, and environmental security, playing a vital role in strengthening national security while also fostering partnerships that benefit industries, governments, and academic institutions worldwide; and

**WHEREAS**, the commitment of the **Naval Postgraduate School** to academic excellence and research-driven solutions has positioned it as a global leader in graduate education, attracting top-tier faculty, researchers, and students whose work has far-reaching implications for both defense strategy and public policy; and

**WHEREAS**, the impact of the **Naval Postgraduate School** extends beyond the military, as it actively collaborates with the Monterey County community, supporting local economic development, workforce innovation, and educational partnerships that enhance opportunities for residents and businesses alike; and

**WHEREAS**, in recognition of its unparalleled contributions to education, national security, and innovation, the Monterey County Business Council has selected the **Naval Postgraduate School** as the 2025 Education Honoree under the "Innovators + Influencers" theme, celebrating its leadership and lasting impact on the region and beyond;

**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 the **Naval Postgraduate School** for its exemplary leadership in education, research, and service, commending its dedication to excellence, innovation, and the betterment of Monterey County, the nation, and the world.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** on this \_\_\_ day of \_\_\_ 2025, upon motion of Supervisor \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by Supervisor \_\_\_\_\_ by the following vote, to-wit:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

I, Valerie Ralph, 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:

Valerie Ralph, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors  
County of Monterey, State of California

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy