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

Resolution No.: Adopt Resolution recognizing **Bassetti Farms** as the recipient of the **King City Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture's 2016 Business of the Year Award**

WHEREAS, in 1984, Mel Bassetti Custom Farming was founded by Mel and Val Bassetti with the purchase of their first truck, a 1954 Peterbilt; and

WHEREAS, the fleet has since grown to include thirty trucks along with trailers, reefers, and lowboys, and the trucks have always been known for their nice paint jobs and cleanliness; and

WHEREAS, in addition to the trucking part of the company, Mel and Val ran a harvesting and labor company; and

WHEREAS, in the year 2000, **Bassetti Farms** was born when Val Bassetti realized her dream of purchasing 3 trucks and tankers to haul wine and juice, and now have eleven tankers; and

WHEREAS, in 2004, Mel passed away from a long illness and in 2013 after Val's passing, Cody Bassetti was left at the helm and continues to carry on the legacy his mom and dad left behind; and

WHEREAS, Bassetti Farms, Cody, Mel and Val have always been known for their generosity, community involvement, and are always willing to go above and beyond; and

WHEREAS, Bassetti Farms and family supports local sports, King City Pool Surveillance System, King City Police Department K-9 Unit, 4-H, Future Farmers of America, Dance Theater, Salinas Valley Fairgrounds, Monterey County Agricultural Rural Life Museum, Mission San Antonio, and Veterans of Foreign Wars; and

WHEREAS, Bassetti Farms makes great contributions to our community, creates a great working environment for their employees and truly deserves to be recognized as the King City Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture's 2016 Business of the Year.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County and all its citizens thereof, recognize **Bassetti Farms** 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 2016 Business of the Year Award**.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this ____ day of _____ 2017, upon motion of 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