

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

**Resolution No. :**

Adopt Resolution recognizing the **American Legion,** )  
**District 28, Honor Guard, of Monterey County** for their )  
service and volunteerism for the past 45 years..... )

**WHEREAS,** the **American Legion Honor Guard** provides Military Funeral Honors designed to Honor the lives of all Veterans who have served their Country in the Armed Forces, their families, and their survivors for the past 45 years; and

**WHEREAS,** the Honor Guard voluntarily covers the Tri-County area with Military Honors, sometimes conducting up to three a day, and up to six days straight and holds a firm “Never leave a Fallen Comrade” attitude; and

**WHEREAS,** the original Honor Guard was formed in 1970 at the VFW 5789 in Salinas and today the tradition is carried from the American Legion, District 28, Post 31; and

**WHEREAS,** during 2015 the Honor Guard registered 2100 volunteer hours conducting services, Legion assistance, and fundraisers; and

**WHEREAS,** the Honor Guard financially relies solely on internal fundraisers and donations to absorb the costs of maintenance of equipment, transportation, uniforms, and purchase of Burial Flags for services; and

**WHEREAS,** during 2015 there are fourteen active members of the Honor Guard, three retired members, and two of whom are deceased; all Honor Guard members are Veterans and/or Family Members of Veterans who have all served Honorably in the United States Armed Forces;

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County and all Citizens thereof, honors the service of the **American Legion, District 28, Honor Guard,** on their long and dedicated efforts to bring these services to culmination and in recognition of their Honorable Service to our County, State and Nation; the County of Monterey proclaims acknowledgement to the Honor Guard.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this \_\_\_\_\_, by 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 Minute Book \_\_\_ for the meeting on \_\_\_\_\_.

Dated:

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

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