

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS RESOLUTION

Resolution No.: 24-246

Adopt a resolution recognizing Patricia Jeanne Hayes Pope on celebrating) a milestone birthday on August 4th, 2024, marking her 100th year of life.....

WHEREAS, Patricia Jeanne Hayes Pope was born on August 4, 1924, at the O'Connor Sanitarium in San Jose, California, to Katherine Hitchcock and Francis Austin Hayes, a pioneer in the construction

WHEREAS, Patricia Jeanne Hayes Pope grew up in King City, California, where her family later settled in the early 1930's after moving from San Martin and Salinas; and

WHEREAS, Patricia Jeanne Hayes Pope's early life was marked by her love of journalism, serving as editor of the King City High School newspaper, playing clarinet in the school's marching band, and piano for the dance band; she was also an active member of the Assembly of Rainbow for Girls and graduated fourth in her class; and

WHEREAS, Patricia Jeanne Hayes Pope attended Hartnell College in Salinas, where she was president of her class before returning home to care for her father and younger brother after the early death of her mother; she later returned to Hartnell in 1944 to complete her studies; and

WHEREAS, Patricia Jeanne Hayes Pope's dedication to education continued as she taught fourth grade at King City Elementary School before meeting her future husband, Marion Pope; and

WHEREAS, Patricia Jeanne Hayes Pope and Marion Pope were married on January 12th, 1946, at Saint John's Chapel, beginning a lifelong partnership of almost sixty-seven years of marriage; and

WHEREAS, Patricia Jeanne Hayes Pope and Marion Pope raised their five children, Susan, Linda, Dennis, Laurie, and Leslie, in King City, California, and their family has grown to include two sons-inlaw, one daughter-in-law, two grandsons, nine grandchildren, sixteen great-grandchildren, and one

WHEREAS, Patricia Jeanne Hayes Pope was very active in the community and volunteered at the Community Baptist Church, as well as the Girl Scouts, Boy Scouts, and the Parent Teacher Associations, and was well known for her piano playing at church and in the community; and

WHEREAS, Patricia Jeanne Hayes Pope volunteered over four thousand hours at Mee Memorial Hospital as a Hospital Service League member and along with Marion, was a key participant in the establishment of the Mee Memorial Hospital Foundation; and

WHEREAS, Patricia Jeanne Hayes Pope was honored as King City Mother of the Year in 1961, and along with Marion, was recognized as King City Citizens of the Year in 1996; and

WHEREAS, Patricia Jeanne Hayes Pope was a bookkeeper for Marion's painting business as well as Basic Vegetable Plant, Vangas Suburban Propane, and was a substitute teacher for local elementary

WHEREAS, Patricia Jeanne Hayes Pope moved to Quail Park Retirement Community in Visalia, California in 2014 and continues to enjoy various activities and piano playing while inspiring those around her with her kindness, generosity, and love for life.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors of Monterey County, on behalf of the County and all its residents thereof, hereby recognizes and congratulates Patricia Jeanne Hayes Pope on celebrating a milestone birthday on August 4th, 2024, marking her 100th year of life.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this 9th day of July 2024

Chair Supervisor Glenn Church

Vice Chair Supervisor Chris Lopez

Supervisor Wendy Root Askew

Supervisor Luis Alejo

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