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

Resolution No.:

Adopt Resolution honoring Mayor Ralph Rubio as recipient)	
of the Monterey Peninsula Chamber of Commerce 2015 Ruth)	
Vreeland Memorial Public Official of the Year Award)	

WHEREAS, the Monterey Peninsula Chamber of Commerce established the Ruth Vreeland Memorial Award to honor our outstanding public officials in remembrance of the late Ruth Vreeland, a devoted and beloved school teacher and dedicated public servant; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Ralph Rubio attended Seaside schools, graduated from Seaside High School, attended the University of California, Berkeley and is a lifelong resident who truly cares about the community that helped shape him; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Ralph Rubio retired from the Carpenters Union after 39 years, having served in many leadership positions, he worked as a rank and file member for 23 years and for the Carpenters Union for 16 years, served as the Senior Field Representative for Monterey and Santa Cruz Counties and is a skilled craftsman who appreciates using his own two hands to shape something new; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Ralph Rubio served as a Seaside city councilmember from 2000-2004, Mayor from 2004-2010, then recaptured the seat in 2012; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his employment and civic life, Mayor Ralph Rubio has served and serves on numerous boards and commissions including the Fort Ord Reuse Authority, Transportation Agency of Monterey County, Association of Monterey Bay Area Government, Monterey Peninsula Regional Water Authority, Seaside Groundwater Basin Watermaster, Monterey Regional Water Pollution Control Agency, Seaside County Sanitation District, Local Agency Formation Commission of Monterey County, Carpenters Local Union 605, Monterey County, St. Francis Xavier Church in Seaside, Knights of Columbus, Seaside Council 5261, Knights of Columbus, Santa Rosalia Assembly, 4th Degree, Monterey Peninsula Y's Men's Club, Special Olympics Committee, Past Chair and Co-chair of, Laguna Seca Scholarship, AT&T Event, Fireworks Sales, Jazz Festival Concessions, YMCA Christmas Tree Lot Committees, National Association of Latino Elected and Appointed Officials, League of United Latin American Citizens, National Council of La Raza, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People and Seaside Pony Baseball coach and manager; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Ralph Rubio is not afraid to use his voice to show his faith in Seaside as a potential economically sound and prosperous city, "We need to remind those that would invest in our community that Seaside is open for business,"; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Ralph Rubio has had a significant positive economic impact on the business community over several years by demonstrating ongoing community leadership to the citizens of the Seaside and by responding to the business community's call for elected leadership; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Ralph Rubio is supported in his many endeavors by his wife Gracie.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County and all citizens thereof, congratulates **Mayor Ralph Rubio** as he receives the Monterey Peninsula Chamber of Commerce's 2015 Ruth Vreeland Memorial Public Official of the Year Award, and wishes him continued success, peace, and happiness in all of his future endeavors.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this _ to wit:	day of	, 2016 by the following vote,
AYES: NOES: ABSENT:		
California, hereby certify that the fe	foregoing is a true co	es of the County of Monterey, State of oppy of an original order of said Board of Minute Book, for the meeting on
Dated:		
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