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

Resolution No.: Resolution of the Monterey County) Board of Supervisors Proclaiming) April 13 through April 19, 2014 as) "Public Safety Dispatchers Week" in) Monterey County)	
WHEREAS, the second full week of April has been proclaimed as "National Public Safety Telecommunicators Week" by the U.S. Congress to recognize the dedicated professional commitment of Public Safety Dispatchers nationwide;	
WHEREAS, thousands of dedicated Public Safety Dispatchers serve the citizens of the United States on a daily basis by answering emergency and non-emergency calls for assistance, and coordinating public safety field units;	
WHEREAS, Monterey County Public Safety Dispatchers are an integral part of the County Emergency Service Delivery Team who, working seven days per week, 24 hours per day, serve as the first critical contact our citizens have with emergency services;	
WHEREAS, Monterey County Public Safety Dispatchers are the single vital link for our sheriff's deputies, police officers and firefighters by monitoring their activities by radio, providing them information and ensuring their safety;	
WHEREAS, Monterey County Public Safety Dispatchers have contributed substantially to the apprehension of criminals, suppression of fires and treatment of patients;	
WHEREAS, Monterey County Public Safety Dispatchers , working for County, City, State, and Federal Agencies, have collectively exhibited compassion, understanding and professionalism during the performance of their job in the past year; handling well over 600,000 telephone calls, and generating more than 500,000 calls for police, fire and emergency medical service, to assure that police, fire, and medical field personnel provide a timely and well informed response to a myriad of service requests by County residents; and	
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the week of April 13 through April 19, 2014, is hereby proclaimed "Public Safety Dispatchers Week" in Monterey County, in honor of these men and women, and that they be individually and collectively recognized and commended for their continuing commitment and service to the citizens of Monterey County.	
PASSED AND ADOPTED upon motion of Supervisor seconded by Supervisor and carried this 8th day of April 2014, 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 77 for the meeting on April 8, 2014.	
Dated: File Number:	Gail T. Borkowski, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors County of Monterey, State of California
	By

Deputy