

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

Resolution No.:

Adopt Resolution in Honor and Recognition of **Brenda Murdock** For Her Dedicated Service to the Legal Community in the County of Monterey.

WHEREAS, Brenda Murdock born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania and previously married to Norman L. Anthony (deceased), attended the University of San Francisco; BS, J.D; and

WHEREAS, Brenda Murdock was admitted to the State Bar of California in 1984; Certified Specialist, Family Law, The State Bar of California Board of Legal Specialization, 1991 to present; and

WHEREAS, Brenda Murdock Arbitrator served on the State Bar of California Arbitration Panel, 1988 to 2022 and Arbitrator, Monterey County Bar Association for several years beginning in 1990; and

WHEREAS, Brenda Murdock was a Professor: Advanced Family Law Litigation (1986, 1987, 1993), Guest Lecturer (2004 to 2020), Monterey College of Law; Family Law Professor (1988), University of California at Santa Cruz Paralegal Program. Lecturer: Monterey County Bar Association Public Legal Education Series for several years beginning in 1990; and

WHEREAS, Brenda Murdock served on many boards including; Monterey County SPCA – 1986-1989, Monterey County Legal Services Corporation, Toro Environmental Science Corporation, Friends of Monterey County Animal Services (FoCAS) 2000-2005 – President from 2003-2004, Monterey County Bar Association Executive Committee from 2003 - 2013 – President 2009, Monterey County Bar Association Family Law Section Executive Committee from 2004 to 2020, Monterey College of Law Board of Trustees 2012-2018 – Chairperson (2016), Monterey Symphony from 2005 to 2013 – Co-chairman of Board 2010-2011; and

WHEREAS, Brenda Murdock was in private practice with Anthony and Murdock in family law litigation, mediation, and serving as Parenting Coordinator since 1984; and

WHEREAS, Brenda Murdock enjoys traveling and has traveled to the following countries over the last 35 years: Italy - 3 trips, England - 2 trips, Scotland, Spain, Japan-2 trips, Mexico-many trips, Jamaica-3 trips, Paris, France, Malaysia 3 trips, Vietnam, Singapore 4 trips, Philippines, Australia, Indonesia, and Ireland.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County and all residents thereof, hereby acknowledge, commends, and thanks **Brenda Murdock** for her contributions to the Monterey County and greater Central Coast legal community and wishes her much happiness and success.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2023, by the following vote, to wit:

AYES:
NOES:
ABSENT:

I, Valerie Ralph, 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 _____, 2023.

Dated:

Valerie Ralph, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
County of Monterey, State of California.

By _____
Deputy