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

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**Resolution No.** 

Resolution honoring Robert L. Meyer recipient of

the 2014 Valley of the World Hall of Fame Award)
<b>WHEREAS, Robert L. Meyer,</b> a native of King City, graduated from King City High School in 1948 and continued his studies at UC Davis in agronomy and completed his agricultural education with a Bachelor of Science Degree from Cal Poly; and
WHEREAS, Robert L. Meyer, believed that shipping and packing were the keys to growth and success which led him to attend his first United Fresh Fruit and Vegetables conference with his wife, where passing out business cards lead to a highly successful sales career; and
WHEREAS, Robert L. Meyer, began operations in Mexico in 1970 that created a year-round business and by 1989, Meyer Tomatoes had outgrown its office and moved its staff across the street in King City while increasing its sales staff, engineering a new marketing program and creating a research and development unit; and
WHEREAS, Robert L. Meyer, has shown great commitment to his community and has been appointed to important groups such as California Tomato Growers, California Tomato Board, United Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Association, California Commission on Agriculture, School of Ag and Natural Resources Advisory Board; and
WHEREAS, Robert L. Meyer, is an advocate for the tomato industry, while supporting his community and was instrumental in bringing low income housing to King City and the County of Monterey; and
WHEREAS, Robert L. Meyer, is dedicated to his community and moved the California tomato industry into the forefront of the fruit and vegetable spotlight and continues to actively support research that will improve the tomato and vegetable industry.
NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County and all citizens thereof, honor Robert L. Meyer as the 2014 Valley of the World Hall of Fame Award recipient and wishes him continued success, peace and happiness in all of his future endeavors.
PASSED AND ADOPTED on this day of, 2014 by the following vote, to wit:

I, Gail T. Borkowski, Clerk of the Board of hereby certify that the foregoing is a true cop- entered in the minutes thereof of Minute Boo	y of an original order of said Board	Supervisors duly made and
Dated:		
	Gail T. Borkowski, Clerk of Board of Supervisors, County Monterey, State of California.	
	By	Deputy
		Deputy

AYES: NOES: ABSENT: