

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

**Resolution No.:**

Adopt Resolution proclaiming April 5, 2016, ( )  
as **National Service Recognition Day**.....)

**WHEREAS**, service to others is a hallmark of the American character, and central to how we meet our challenges; and

**WHEREAS**, the nation's counties are increasingly turning to national service and volunteerism as a cost-effective strategy to meet county needs; and

**WHEREAS**, participants in AmeriCorps and Senior Corps address the most pressing challenges facing our cities and nation, from educating students for jobs of the 21st century and supporting veterans and military families to providing health services and helping communities recover from natural disasters; and

**WHEREAS**, national service expands economic opportunity by creating more sustainable, resilient communities and providing education, career skills, and leadership abilities for those who serve; and

**WHEREAS** AmeriCorps and Senior Corps participants serve in more than 50,000 locations across the country, including twenty-seven in Monterey County bolstering the civic, neighborhood, and faith-based organizations that are so vital to our county's economic and social well-being; and

**WHEREAS**, more than thirty-four national service participants of all ages and backgrounds serve in Monterey County providing vital support to county residents and improving the quality of life in our county; and

**WHEREAS**, national service participants increase the impact of the organizations they serve, both through their direct service and by managing millions of additional volunteers; and

**WHEREAS**, national service represents a unique public-private partnership that invests in community solutions and leverages non-federal resources to strengthen community impact and increase the return on taxpayer dollars; including more than \$948,262 Monterey County; and

**WHEREAS**, national service participants demonstrate commitment, dedication, and patriotism by making an intensive commitment to service, a commitment that remains with them in their future endeavors; and

**WHEREAS**, the Corporation for National and Community Service shares a priority with city and county officials nationwide to engage citizens, improve lives, and strengthen communities; and is joining with the National League of Cities, National Association of Counties, Cities of

Service, and mayors and county officials across the country for the Mayor and County Recognition Day for National Service on April 5, 2016.

**THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Monterey, on behalf of the County and its citizens, hereby do hereby proclaim April 5, 2016, as **National Service Recognition Day**, and encourage residents to recognize the positive impact of national service in our community and thank those who serve; and to find ways to give back to their communities.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** on this \_\_\_ day of February 2016, upon motion of Supervisor, seconded by Supervisor 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 \_\_\_ for the meeting on \_\_\_\_\_.

Dated:

Gail T. Borkowski Clerk of the Board of Supervisors  
County of Monterey, State of California.

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy