

*Before the Board of Supervisors  
County of Monterey, State of California*

**Resolution No. 23-297**

Adopt a Resolution:

Supporting the Designation of the )  
Proposed United States Bicycle Route )  
95 through the County of Monterey. )

**WHEREAS**, the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO) established the United States Bicycle Route System (USBRS) in 2008; and

**WHEREAS**, the Adventure Cycle Association (ACA) along with the American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials (AASHTO) is developing a network of bicycle touring routes throughout the country; and

**WHEREAS**, the ACA manages the USBRS designation process nationally for AASHTO and has been working with local agencies to obtain endorsements for United States Bicycle Route 95 (USBR 95); and

**WHEREAS**, AASHTO has designated a bicycle corridor through the County of Monterey to be identified as United States Bicycle Route 95 (USBR 95) that runs along the West Coast from Canada to Mexico; and

**WHEREAS**, USBR 95 will provide a route for cyclists to travel south from the Oregon/California border, down to the California/Mexico border; and

**WHEREAS**, there are over 1000 miles of the route along the California coast and Caltrans has formally approved the routes along the California State highway system; and

**WHEREAS**, the route follows streets, roads, and bike paths in the County of Monterey, transitioning from the County of Santa Cruz, traveling through Pajaro, Castroville, City of Marina, City of Monterey, and City of Carmel, towards San Luis Obispo County; and

**WHEREAS**, the route through the unincorporated region continues from the County of Santa Cruz and the City of Watsonville, across the Porter Bridge onto Porter Drive and Salinas Road through Pajaro to Hilltop Road, onto State Route 1, towards Molera Road and Merritt Street through the Castroville area, towards Monte Road and Del Monte Road, through the City of Marina and other peninsula cities, through the City of Monterey, onto State Route 1 and onto Carpenter Street and Serra Avenue through the City of Carmel and onto Rio Road, and onto State Route 1 south towards the County of San Luis Obispo.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT** the Board of Supervisors of the County of Monterey hereby adopts a resolution:

Supporting the Designation of the Proposed United States Bicycle Route 95 through the County of Monterey.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** on this 25<sup>th</sup> day of July 2023, by roll call vote:

AYES: Supervisors Alejo, Church, Lopez, Askew, and Adams

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

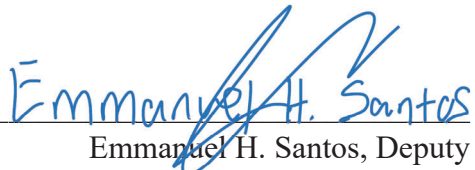
I, Valerie Ralph, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Monterey, State of California, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of an original order of said Board of Supervisors duly made and entered in the minutes thereof of Minute Book 82 for the meeting on July 25, 2023.

Dated: July 27, 2023

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

  
Emmanuel H. Santos, Deputy