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

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Adopt Resolution honoring **Lorenzo Espino** as a Monterey County Military and Veterans Affairs Advisory Commission's "Veteran of the Year" for 2016......)

WHEREAS, Lorenzo Espino has been married to his wife Juanita for forty-five years and they have four children, Lorenzo Jr., Lazandro, Arcy and Erlina, and eight grandchildren.

WHEREAS, throughout his service with the United States, **Lorenzo Espino** had several roles including tanker, intel, infantry, and grand ponder; and

WHEREAS, Lorenzo Espino retired in 2008 after twenty four years of active Army and National Guard service with his most recent deployment to Bosnia and Kosovo, which were preceded by his tours of duty in Vietnam and Iraq; and

WHEREAS, Lorenzo Espino and other Vietnam veterans trained together fighting fires, the Los Angeles Riots, and the 1995 floods by helping people get out of their houses safely; and

WHEREAS, prior to his retirement, **Lorenzo Espino** began his community service through the Knights of Columbus in their food service area; and

WHEREAS, Lorenzo Espino also contributes to the Veterans of Foreign Wars by preparing meals for events such as Memorial Day and Veterans Day celebrations; and

WHEREAS, for his forty-fifth wedding anniversary, Lorenzo and Juanita received a trip to Hawaii from their children and saw Oahu, Pearl Harbor and Arizona memorials; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County and all citizens thereof, honors **Lorenzo Espino** as a 2016 Monterey County Military and Veterans Affairs Advisory Commission *Veteran of the Year* and wishes him continued success, peace and happiness in all of his future endeavors.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this day of , 2016, by the following vote, to wit:

AYES: NOES: ABSENT:	
	upervisors of the County of Monterey, State of California, hereby original order of said Board of Supervisors duly made and entered in me meeting on
Dated:	Gail T. Borkowski, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors County of Monterey, State of California
	By, Deputy