

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

**Resolution No.:**

Adopt Resolution recognizing author **Antonia Fiske** upon )  
completion of her book *Finders, Keepers: How to Reach Your Full Potential* )  
and for her contributions to helping people through her writings..... )

**WHEREAS, *Antonia Fiske*** was born in upstate New York. The daughter of a college professor, her childhood was generously sprinkled with many playmates and all kinds of culture; and,

**WHEREAS, *Antonia Fiske*** graduated from the Northfield School for Girls and Vassar College. After supporting herself for four years as a secretary in New York City, she married and came to California; and,

**WHEREAS, *Antonia Fiske*** has always been passionate about people getting along together. There was so much unnecessary drama in her wonderful, artistic, atheistic family of origin that it has been a lifelong effort to understand how not to have that happen in her own life and later on, in the lives of others; and,

**WHEREAS, *Antonia Fiske*** participated in a weekly Jungian Dream Group for three years in which she noticed great improvements in her own self-concept. She entered John F. Kennedy University's School of Holistic Studies and received her Master's Degree in Counseling Psychology; and,

**WHEREAS, *Antonia Fiske*** began writing *Finders, Keepers: How to Reach Your Full Potential* after a fall and fracture in her eightieth year in which recuperation was slow. *Finders, Keepers* is a book for all who want to learn BASIC approaches for staying afloat in the ever-changing currents in the two rivers of Life: The River of Our Lives and the River of Our Relationships. *Finders, Keepers* is designed to be read by anyone over 12 years of age. It is excellent for family groups, any kind of discussion group, as well as individuals who are curious and motivated. To those who have been damaged by military combat, incarceration, immigration, addictions, criminal activity, divorce, neglect, sexual abuse, disabilities and unemployment, my book is your friend to encourage recovery; and,

**WHEREAS, *Antonia Fiske*** and her husband, Brooks, have resided in beautiful Monterey County for 47 years and enjoyed raising their four wonderful children here in the "Pastures of Heaven."

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors hereby expresses its great appreciation to ***Antonia Fiske*** for her dedication to all the citizens of this County, especially those who have been damaged by military combat, incarceration, immigration, addictions, criminal activity, divorce, neglect, sexual abuse, disabilities and unemployment, through her writings and book which can be used to encourage recovery.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** on this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_, 2019, 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 resolution of said Board of Supervisors duly made and entered in the minutes thereof of Minute Book \_\_\_\_\_ for the meeting on \_\_\_\_\_.

Dated:

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

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