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

Resolution No. Adopt a resolution proclaiming the month of September 2019) as "National Preparedness Month" in Monterey County)
WHEREAS, "National Preparedness Month" creates an important opportunity for every member of Monterey County community to become aware of ways to prepare their homes, businesses, and communities for any type of emergency, including natural and man-made disasters; and,
WHEREAS, investing in the preparedness of ourselves, our families, businesses, and communities can reduce risk to life, property and the environment, protect against economic impacts and foster resiliency (the ability to cope with, learn from, and grow stronger as a result) in our communities and in our nation; and,
WHEREAS, the Federal Emergency Management Agency's <i>Ready</i> Campaigns' National Preparedness Month (NPM), is recognized each September to promote family and community disaster and emergency planning now and throughout the year. The 2019 theme is "Prepared, Not Scared"; and,
WHEREAS, in conjunction with the National Preparedness Month campaign, Monterey County Office of Emergency Services are working to increase public awareness and preparedness activities in becoming aware and preparing for emergencies and to educate individuals on how to take action; and,
WHEREAS, emergency preparedness is the responsibility of every resident of Monterey County and all are urged to make preparedness a priority and work together to ensure the resilience of our communities to disasters by participating in preparedness activities the month of September. Visit the Monterey County Office of Emergency Services website and follow OES on social media to learn more.
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors does hereby proclaim the month of September 2019 as "National Preparedness Month" in Monterey County.
PASSED AND ADOPTED on this, 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 order 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