

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

Resolution No.:

Adopt Resolution Honoring **Alicia Diaz** as a County of Monterey Military and Veterans Affairs Advisory Commission's Veteran of The Year for 2025.

WHEREAS, Each year, the County of Monterey and the County of Monterey Military and Veterans Affairs Advisory Commission honors those who have made a significant contribution to their communities, are strong motivators, have demonstrated extraordinary professional competence, and are role models for veterans and the community as a whole; and

WHEREAS, The County of Monterey Military and Veterans Affairs Advisory Commission is honored to recognize **Alicia Diaz** as a 2025 Veteran of The Year; and

WHEREAS, **Alicia Diaz** enlisted in the United States Marine Corps in 1969 and honorably served until her separation in 1973; and

WHEREAS, Following her military service, **Alicia Diaz** transitioned to a career in education, teaching in North County, the Alisal Union School District in Salinas, and concluding her distinguished career with the Salinas Union High School District where she worked closely with parents to support student success; and

WHEREAS, She has contributed as a part-time Spanish teacher at Sacred Heart Catholic School in Salinas, educating 5th and 8th grade students over the past two years; and

WHEREAS, **Alicia Diaz** is a founding member of the Marine Corps League, serving actively from 1991 to 2001; and

WHEREAS, She proudly serves as a member of the Monterey County Semper Fi Fraternity (MCSFF) and American Legion Post 31; and

WHEREAS, **Alicia Diaz** maintains active membership in the California Teachers Association and the American Federation of Teachers; and

WHEREAS, **Alicia Diaz** is a lifelong educator, mentor, and community advocate whose unwavering dedication to students and families has had a profound impact throughout Monterey County. Her commitment is exemplified by organizing grassroots initiatives to enrich migrant education and leading district-wide efforts, demonstrating creativity, compassion, and a steadfast belief in the transformative power of education to uplift entire communities.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the County of Monterey Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County and all residents thereof, honors **Alicia Diaz** as a 2025 County of Monterey Military and Veterans Affairs Advisory Commission Veteran of The Year and thanks her for her exemplary service and dedication to her country and the people of Monterey County.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2025, by the following vote, to wit:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

I, Valeria 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 _____, 2025.

Dated:

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

By _____
Deputy