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

Resolution No.:

Adopt a resolution recognizing Maria Ines Diaz de Carlos as the County of Monterey's 2024 In-Home Supportive Services (IHSS) Provider of the Year.

WHEREAS, November 2024 is proclaimed as National Family Caregivers Month; and

WHEREAS, there are an estimated 100 million family caregivers in this country, including almost 6,000 In-Home Supportive Services (IHSS) caregivers in the County of Monterey; and

WHEREAS, the County of Monterey recognizes the dedication, compassion, and sacrifice of care providers, who ensure the health and well-being of those needing care around them; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Diaz de Carlos has been an IHSS care provider in the County of Monterey since 2003, representing over twenty years of service to the IHSS community; and

WHEREAS, after providing IHSS care services for a family member, Ms. Diaz de Carlos was inspired to extend her caregiving skills to complete strangers in need, modeling what it means to be an IHSS caregiver on the County of Monterey's Public Authority Registry; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Diaz de Carlos is recognized for her extraordinary commitment, specifically, working the maximum hours allowed for three different care recipients, who all say they do not know what they would do without her; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the County of Monterey Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County and all its residents, the Department of Social Services, and members of the IHSS Advisory Committee, do hereby recognize and honor **Maria Ines Diaz de Carlos** as the 2024 IHSS Provider of the Year.

seconded by Supervisor

PASSED AND ADOPTED upon motion of Supervisor

THOOLD III	1	, seconded by supervisor
	_and carried this	day of November, 2024, by the following vote, to wit:
AYES:		
NOES:		
ABSENT:		
California, he	reby certify that the f	d of Supervisors of the County of Monterey, State of oregoing is a true copy of an original order of said Board of d in the minutes thereof Minute Bookfor the meeting on 4.
Dated: Supervisors		Valerie Ralph, Clerk of the Board of
1		County of Monterey, State of California
		By
		Deputy