

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

Resolution No.:

Adopt a resolution recognizing **Sun Street Centers** as the recipient of the **King City Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture’s 2023 Business of the Year Award**.

WHEREAS, in 2016, Mayor Rob Cullen and the City of King Council convened a Task Force to combat violence, alcohol, and drug abuse in the community and as a result invited **Sun Street Centers** to open programs in King City; and

WHEREAS, in 2018, **Sun Street Centers** partnered with Monterey County Behavioral Health, the California Board of State and Community Corrections, and Central California Alliance for Health to purchase and renovate a property on Broadway Street while the City of King, and Four Cities for Peace Initiative provided additional support; and

WHEREAS, the site included a run-down motel that was gutted and remodeled into residential treatment units, an old, brick-and-stucco party store remodeled into a welcoming lobby, group room, offices, treatment rooms and a Youth Center with transitional housing above, some storage structures replaced by a community meeting room, and a dilapidated residence replaced with a new sober living facility; and

WHEREAS, the Darlene Acosta Youth Center opened for programs in 2023 with strong community support; and

WHEREAS, the King City Rotary Club raised funds to furnish the student activity room and South County donors equipped the food pantry and built a beautiful Dress for Success room to provide teens with professional clothing for job and education interviews; and

WHEREAS, the youth center provides a safe environment with activities that support positive youth development and reduce high-risk behaviors such as the use of alcohol, drugs, tobacco, and violence.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the County of Monterey Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County and all its residents thereof, recognize **Sun Street Centers** for their contributions to the community and to Monterey County, and hereby congratulates them upon being selected as the recipient of the **King City Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture’s 2023 Business of the Year Award**.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this ___ day of ____ 2024, upon motion of Supervisor _____, seconded by Supervisor _____ 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 _____, 2024.

Dated:

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

By _____

Deputy