

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

**Resolution No.:**

Adopt a resolution to proclaim the weeks of October 20, 2025, through November 21, 2025 as the County Monterey Employee Giving Campaign of 2025.

**WHEREAS**, the theme for this year's campaign is "Seeds of Hope" which reminds us that even the smallest act of giving can grow into something extraordinary in our community.

**WHEREAS**, the County of Monterey continues its legacy in sponsoring the County of Monterey Employee Giving Campaign which upholds the values of the County's Strategic Initiatives; the campaign provides a means to support our community; and

**WHEREAS**, the County of Monterey Employee Giving Campaign theme "Seeds of Hope" highlights the transformative power of collective generosity—how even small individual contributions can grow into powerful support for local programs and services. With strong leadership, department coordinators, and engaging special events, this year's campaign has significant potential to increase participation and impact; and

**WHEREAS**, the County of Monterey Employee Giving Campaign shall be structured with two Co-Chairs and Coordinator Committee to support in facilitating the County's efforts in making a difference through human kindness and dignity; the committees will consist of members from management and labor who shall serve for that campaign year; and

**WHEREAS**, the County Administrative Officer approved Roderick Franks and Darrell McGowan to manage the Monterey County Employee Giving Campaign; and both shall serve for that campaign year; and

**WHEREAS**, the announcement of the Employee Giving Campaign, "Seeds of Hope" gives the opportunity to publicly recognize the participation and dedication of the members of the Coordinator Committee, which consist of Sandra Silva, Gerardo Perez, Melissa Fanning, Marcela Barbosa, Melissa Sanchez; Lynda Patrick and Crystal Lopez; and

**WHEREAS**, the United Way, as the lead non-profit agency, has designated Lynda Patrick and Crystal Lopez to assist in the coordinated efforts of the campaign; and

**WHEREAS**, we recognize the Department Heads, Management and Department Coordinators who contribute their time and expertise in supporting the campaign in creating awareness and knowledge, and we extend our heartfelt thanks for their continued commitment; and

**WHEREAS**, a pledge is made to promote any and all involvement of County employees that would like to participate in donating as well as encourage those who would like to volunteer their efforts to make the campaign successful and most importantly FUN; and

**WHEREAS**, the County of Monterey Employee Giving Campaign provides employees the convenience of making charitable donations; and

**WHEREAS**, through payroll deductions, one-time donations, and fund-raising activities County of Monterey employees can collaborate with 501© (3) non-profit entities that provide local services and programs to County of Monterey residents in furtherance of the County's Strategic Initiatives and Values; and

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the County of Monterey Board of Supervisors, proclaim October 20, 2025, through November 21, 2025, as the **County of Monterey Employee Giving Campaign**.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025, upon motion of Supervisor \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by Supervisor \_\_\_\_\_ 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:  
Supervisors

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

By \_\_\_\_\_