

Resolution No:

Resolution honoring **Julian John Macias** as the **2025 Monterey County Veteran of the Year**.

WHEREAS, Julian John Macias has exemplified a lifetime of service to his country and community, beginning with his enlistment in the United States Marine Corps in 1967, where he honorably served during the Vietnam War as an Artillery Weapons Repairman (MOS 2131), including an extended tour of duty; and

WHEREAS, Julian John Macias was discharged honorably in 1970 with the rank of Staff Sergeant (E-6), Mr. Macias continued his commitment to public service by dedicating 35 years as a Secondary School Educator and Administrator, where he shaped the lives of countless students and future leaders; and

WHEREAS, Julian John Macias has demonstrated civic involvement through decades of philanthropic and volunteer service, including long-standing membership in the Rotary Club since 1980, participation in the Salinas Elks Lodge, service on the Board of Directors for the Central Coast YMCA, and over 40 years of dedication to the California Rodeo Salinas, where he was honored as Volunteer of the Year in 2012; and

WHEREAS, Julian John Macias has continued to advocate and work on behalf of his fellow Veterans through active membership and leadership in numerous Veterans organizations, including life memberships in the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Vietnam Veterans of America, Disabled American Veterans, and the Marine Corps League Monterey Bay Detachment #711; and

WHEREAS, Julian John Macias is a founding member of both the Monterey County Vietnam Veterans (established 2015) and the Monterey County Semper Fi Fraternity (established 2023), and serves as a general member of the Marine Corps Artillery Association (3/11), continually fostering fellowship and support among Veterans; and

WHEREAS, he remains a passionate advocate for patriotism and service, frequently delivering presentations to schools and community organizations to inspire future generations with the values of duty, honor, and country.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that **Julian John Macias** is hereby recognized and honored as the **2025 Monterey County Veteran of the Year**, in appreciation of his distinguished military service, dedication to his community, and his lifelong commitment to supporting and uplifting fellow Veterans.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this ____ day of _____, 2025.

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 _____, 2025.

Dated:

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

By _____
Deputy