

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

Resolution No.:

Adopt a resolution honoring the **28th Annual American Cancer Society Relay For Life of the Salinas Valley**.

WHEREAS, the **Relay For Life of the Salinas Valley** is a volunteer-led movement that brings communities together to celebrate cancer survivors, honor those lost, and raise funds to improve the lives of people affected by cancer; and

WHEREAS, the **Relay For Life of the Salinas Valley** supports the American Cancer Society's mission through advocacy, research, and patient services to ensure equitable access to cancer prevention, detection, treatment, and survival; and

WHEREAS, thanks to the community's steadfast generosity in 2024, the **Relay For Life of the Salinas Valley** raised more than \$641,000 in Monterey County to support the lifesaving work of the American Cancer Society; and

WHEREAS, the **Relay For Life of the Salinas Valley** has served as a beacon of hope for cancer survivors and their caregivers, raising nearly \$18 million over the past twenty years, and in 2024 was ranked first in California and second nationwide for its extraordinary impact and outreach; and

WHEREAS, on September 20, 2025, **Relay For Life of the Salinas Valley** promises to be a day filled with hope and inspiration, featuring a celebratory lunch and live entertainment for more than three hundred survivors and caregivers, with over sixty teams and two thousand community members expected to participate in support of the fight against cancer.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the County of Monterey Board of Supervisors on behalf of all the County and its residents, thereof, hereby recognizes the **28th Annual American Cancer Society Relay For Life of The Salinas Valley** on this momentous occasion in 2025, and urges county residents to support and participate in this year's activities.

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 order of said Board of Supervisors duly made and entered in the minutes thereof of Minute Book ____ for the meeting on _____.

Dated:

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

By _____
Deputy