DEPARTMENT: Board  BY:  PHONE: 966-3222

RECOMMENDED ACTION AND JUSTIFICATION: (Policy Item: Yes____  No_x_)

Pass and adopt the attached resolution recognizing Tom Richardson for his many contributions to Mariposa County and upon his 90th birthday. Resolution is to be presented at birthday reception Tuesday afternoon.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:
None on this matter. Board routinely adopts resolutions of recognition.
Tom is a retired County supervisor.

LIST ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:
1) Approve
2) Do not approve and provide alternative direction.

COSTS: (x) Not Applicable
A. Budgeted current FY
   $  
B. Total anticipated costs
   $  
C. Required additional funding
   $  
D. Internal transfers
   $  

SOURCE: ( ) 4/5the Vote Required
A. Unanticipated revenues
   $  
B. Reserve for contingencies
   $  
C. Source description:
   Balance in Reserve for Contingencies, if approved:
   $  

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:
List the attachments and number the pages consecutively:

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Vote - Ayes: 5 Absent:
   Approved:   ( ) Denied
   Abstained:   ( ) No Action Necessary

The foregoing instrument is a correct copy of the original on file in this office.

Date:

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION:
This item on agenda as:

( ) Recommended
( ) Not Recommended
( ) For Policy Determination
( ) Submitted with Comment
( ) Returned for Further Action

Comment:

A.O. Initials:  

Action Form Revised 5/92
MARIPOSA COUNTY RESOLUTION NO. 93-

A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING TOM RICHARDSON, FOR HIS
MANY CONTRIBUTIONS TO MARIPOSA COUNTY, AND MORE PARTICULARLY
SHARING THE OCCASION OF HIS 90TH BIRTHDAY

WHEREAS, TOM RICHARDSON has unselfishly given of his time and expertise to the Mariposa community for many years, serving on the Mental Health Advisory Board, the Cemetery Chapel Committee, and from 1956 to 1968 as a Commissioner on the Parks and Recreation Commission; and

WHEREAS, TOM was elected to the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors representing the constituents of District V in 1968, and was reelected to a second term in 1972; and

WHEREAS, during his tenure as Supervisor, TOM represented Mariposa County on and also served on the Board of Directors of the Regional Council of Rural Counties, an organization representing 21 northern and central California counties; and

WHEREAS, TOM was recognized for his leadership ability and in 1970 was elected president of the Golden Chain Council of the Mother Lode, and in 1975 was elected president of the San Joaquin Valley Supervisors Association; and

WHEREAS, TOM traveled to Washington, D.C. in 1975 as a member of the California Supervisors Association Task Force, lobbying for federal funds for the General Revenue Sharing Program; and

WHEREAS, TOM was Master of Ceremonies at the dedication of the Mariposa County Courthouse as a California Landmark on July 3, 1976; and

WHEREAS, TOM was instrumental in the formation of the Wawona Wagon Train, and participated in the 3-day event which signaled the beginning of Mariposa's Bicentennial Celebration in 1976; and

WHEREAS, TOM will be remembered for his extensive participation in Cancer Fund Drives, youth programs, and the PTA; and

WHEREAS, TOM remains active in many areas, foremost being his dedication to the Masonic Lodge. TOM has been a member for over 50 years and currently serves as Chairman of the Building Committee for the new Masonic Lodge on Jones Street, which is slated for dedication the latter part of this year; and

WHEREAS, TOM has served the local community with distinction and enthusiasm, always receiving the warm support and encouragement of his bride, ALICE, with whom he celebrated 65 years of marriage earlier this year; and

WHEREAS, TOM has reached the lofty age of four score and ten years

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors, a political subdivision of the State of California, that TOM RICHARDSON is hereby recognized for his dedication and commitment to the betterment of Mariposa County and is wished a very happy 90th birthday on behalf of the Mariposa community.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors this 9th day of November, 1993, by unanimous vote.

ARTHUR G. BAGGETT, JR., District I
DOUGHAML MAIN, District II
ERIC J. ERICKSON, District III

GARRY R. PARKER, District IV
GERTRUDE R. TABER, District V