RECOMMENDED ACTION AND JUSTIFICATION: (Policy Item: Yes___ No_X__)

Resolution recognizing the John C. Fremont Medical Clinic as the first Rural Health Care clinic in Mariposa County.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:

No history as this is a new clinic.

LIST ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

If not adopted, the new clinic will receive no official Board recognition.
MARIPOSA COUNTY RESOLUTION NO. 92-514

A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE JOHN C. FREMONT MEDICAL CLINIC AS THE FIRST RURAL HEALTH CARE CLINIC IN MARIPOSA COUNTY

WHEREAS, John C. Fremont Hospital, the sole provider of hospital care in Mariposa County, developed the JOHN C. FREMONT MEDICAL CLINIC for the medically underserved population of Mariposa County; and

WHEREAS, a shortage of doctors in Mariposa County has caused many people to seek medical care in the surrounding communities; and

WHEREAS, the development of the JOHN C. FREMONT MEDICAL CLINIC and the recruitment of physicians to staff the CLINIC is essential to meeting the health care needs of Mariposa County; and

WHEREAS, the establishment of the JOHN C. FREMONT MEDICAL CLINIC offers services to meet disease prevention, health promotion, and acute and chronic health care needs of the county population; and

WHEREAS, John C. Fremont Hospital will manage and support the JOHN C. FREMONT MEDICAL CLINIC in order to improve access to comprehensive primary health care services for Mariposa County residents; and

WHEREAS, the JOHN C. FREMONT MEDICAL CLINIC officially opened August 31, 1992, and is located at 5186 Hospital Road in what is known as "the old Nichols building;"

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors, a political subdivision of the state of California, that the JOHN C. FREMONT MEDICAL CLINIC be congratulated and recognized as the first Rural Health Care Clinic in Mariposa County.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors this 6th day of October, 1992, by unanimous vote.

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