BOARD OF SUPERVISORS - COUNTY OF MARIPOSA

RESOLUTION No. 69-27

WHEREAS, God in His infinite wisdom has chosen to call unto Himself our dear friend, beloved teacher and citizen, MRS. ALICE H. ELLINGHAM, in a manner which has affected the people of Mariposa County, more than words can express, and left the memory of her wisdom and kindness, her whole-hearted earnestness and sincerity, her real goodness and devotion to the education of our children more fresh with us on account of her sudden call; and

WHEREAS, MRS. ALICE H. ELLINGHAM, during her lifetime began her teaching career in 1926 at Bagby School, serving successive terms at Chowchilla and Sebastapol Schools before coming to Mariposa Elementary School as teaching principal in 1929, remaining until 1953 when she retired from the teaching field for a period of four years to serve as a child welfare and attendance director in the office of the County Superintendent of Schools; returning to the elementary school as supervising principal in 1955 and remained in that capacity until her retirement in 1967; and

WHEREAS, because of her inborn courtesy, true friendliness, noble character, wisdom and leadership, she was held in deep regard by all citizens, both young and old, of Mariposa County and;

WHEREAS, our duty toward our departed friend and teacher and our sincere sympathy toward her bereaved family require that we be mindful of her;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that in the passing of MRS. ALICE H. ELLINGHAM each citizen of Mariposa County has lost a real friend; that we express to John H. Ellingham our earnest expression of deepest regret and most heartfelt sympathy and
sorrow over the loss of our friend and that we express the
hope and belief that his sadness and sorrow will be tempered
by the memories of the fine qualities of his deceased wife; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of this resolution
be spread upon the minutes of this Board and a copy thereof be
sent to John H. Ellingham, the surviving husband of the deceased.

Adopted by the unanimous vote of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Mariposa, State of California, this 18th
day of March, 1969:

AYES: Davis, Hurlbert, Long, Moffitt, Richardson

NOES: None

NOT VOTING: None

ABSENT: None

[Signature]
Chairman of the Board

ATTEST:

[Signature]
Clerk of the Board