Resolution recognizing volunteer firefighters in Mariposa County, to be presented by Supervisor Stewart at the Mariposa County Volunteer Appreciation Dinner being held on October 23, 1999.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:

The Board has recognized a number of citizens who provide volunteer services to the community.

LIST ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

COSTS: (x) Not Applicable
A. Budgeted current FY $0
B. Total anticipated costs $0
C. Required additional funding $0
D. Internal transfers $0

SOURCE: ( ) 4/5ths Vote Required
A. Unanticipated revenues $0
B. Reserve for contingencies $0
C. Source description: Balance in Reserve for Contingencies, if approved: $0

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

CLERK'S USE ONLY:
Res. No.: 318
Vote - Ayes: 5
Noes: 0
Absent: 0
Approved: ( ) Denied
Minute Order Attached: ( ) No Action Necessary

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

Date:
ATTEST: MARGIE WILLIAMS, Clerk of the Board
County of Mariposa, State of California
By: Deputy

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

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

Comment:

C.A.O. Initials:

Action Form Revised 5/92
MARIPOSA COUNTY RESOLUTION NUMBER 99-318

A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING
THE ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY-FIVE
VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS IN MARIPOSA COUNTY

WHEREAS, VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS invest precious time training as firefighter and medical responders; and

WHEREAS, VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS are the recognized fire suppression technicians; and

WHEREAS, the basic fire insurance rates are based on the number of well trained volunteer firefighters; and

WHEREAS, the public benefits daily from the knowledge and skills of these highly trained individuals; and

WHEREAS, VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS respond at all times of the day and night, even leaving family and holiday events to be of service to their neighbors; and

WHEREAS, the VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS set the example of community service; and

WHEREAS, the VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS represent the highest of ideals in service, even at the risk of their own lives; and

WHEREAS, Mariposa County’s courageous VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS have, on a number of occasions, left their homes and families for up to seven days to protect and save structures in other fire endangered communities; and

WHEREAS, VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS are true unpaid professionals.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors of Mariposa County, a political subdivision of the State of California, hereby recognizes the one hundred and sixty-five VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS and expresses deep appreciation to each of them for their service and commitment to the citizens of Mariposa County.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors this 19th day of October, 1999, by unanimous vote.

PATTI A. REILLY, District I

GARRY R. PARKER, District IV

DOUG BALMAIN, District II

BOB PICKARD, District V

ROBERT C. STEWART, District III