

COUNTY OF MARIPOSA

P R O C L A M A T I O N

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

COUNTY OF MARIPOSA

RESOLUTION NO. 86-119

PROCLAIMING VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTER WEEK

WHEREAS, the one million volunteer firefighters in the United States today provide fire protection and public services to over 90% of the Nation's Fire Departments serving over one-half of the Nation's population, and

WHEREAS, The County of Mariposa began the policy of using County funds in cooperation with the State of California for Fire Suppression activities using volunteer fire fighters, and

WHEREAS, The County of Mariposa has signed a formal Agreement with the State of California for fire protection using volunteer firefighters in partnership with California Department of Forestry, and

WHEREAS, The County of Mariposa has continued this Agreement with the State of California resulting in 194 (more or less) volunteer firefighters in more than 16 volunteer companies serving the County of Mariposa, and

WHEREAS, These 194 volunteer firefighters have, during the years 1983 through March 1986, averaged 380 hours per volunteer for a total of 73,332 manhours for training, plus untold hours of equipment maintenance, fire fighting effort and public responses,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Mariposa, State of California, in a regularly assembled session, that this Board proclaims the period April 20 - 26, 1986, as "Volunteer Firefighter Week" throughout the County of Mariposa and calls upon all citizens and civic organizations to acquaint themselves with and most appropriately recognize the important role played in our safety and well-being by the volunteer firefighters in this County.

THE FOREGOING RESOLUTION was adopted this day by the following vote:

April 15, 1986

Date

ATTEST:

*Lynne Robinson*

LYNNE ROBINSON, Assistant County Clerk

*Beverly Barrick*  
Chairman, Board of Supervisors

*Dwayne Dalton*  
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Supervisor Radanovich