



MISCELLANEOUS DOCUMENTS REPORT
JULY 6, 2021

1.0 PROCLAMATIONS

-- Gary Albo
June 19, 2021

--Teresa Martinez-Rodriguez
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WHEREAS, Gary was born and raised in Watsonville, attending Mintie White, Radcliff and E.A. Hall Middle Schools; and

WHEREAS, Gary is part of Watsonville High's class of 1973 and excelled as an athlete, particularly in football, during his four years as a Wildcat; and

WHEREAS, Gary continued his studies at Cabrillo College and ultimately obtained a degree in Human Performance/Sports Medicine from San Jose State University; and

WHEREAS, Gary has been employed at Elyxir Distributing LLC for the past 28 years, and uses his spare time to volunteer as a board member for Jean & Ed Kelly Foundation, Brewington Place HOA and Pajaro Valley Little League; and

WHEREAS, Gary's love for our city and his understanding of the importance of giving back, especially for youth, drove him to collaborate with his dear friend Teresa Martinez in the revival of the community garden; and

WHEREAS, since March, Gary has been spending time cleaning and rebuilding, as well as educating others on this project; and

WHEREAS, both of Gary's children, Troy and Shasta, along with his grandson Jacob were part of the volunteer team.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jimmy Dutra, Mayor of the City of Watsonville, in the State of California, on behalf of the City Council hereby acknowledge Gary Albo for his dedication and commitment to the Carey-Davis Community Garden revitalization initiative.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Watsonville to be affixed this 19th day of June, Two thousand and twenty one.

Jimmy Dutra, Mayor

WATSONVILLE, CALIFORNIA



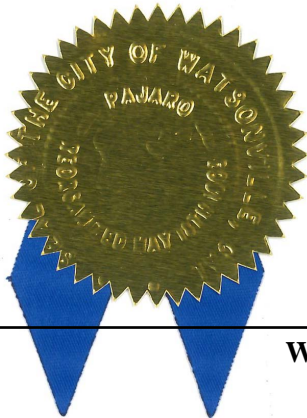
P roclamation *Teresa Martinez-Rodriguez* *June 19, 2021*

- WHEREAS,** Teresa was born in Morelia, Michoacan and, along with her parents and five siblings, made Pajaro her home at age 10; and
- WHEREAS,** this community quickly became a safe space for Teresa, with close relatives and family friends nearby; and
- WHEREAS,** Teresa's passion has always been serving others and cultivating relationships with those around her; and
- WHEREAS,** Teresa was one of Pajaro Valley Health Trust Diabetes Health Center's first employees, welcoming patients, and ensuring they receive the health care they deserve; and
- WHEREAS,** Teresa is known for her dedication to the patients, delivering groceries and stopping by on weekends to check on them; and
- WHEREAS,** Teresa has an incredible ability to connect, relate and speak to Pajaro Valley's underserved population in the friendliest of manners, drawing from her own struggles with the English language in her youth; and
- WHEREAS,** Teresa volunteers with several organizations and programs, including Youth N.O.W., Watsonville Rotary Annual Lobster Dinner, Watsonville Career Center, Rolling Hills Middle School and Freedom Elementary as a field trip driver, among many others; and
- WHEREAS,** Teresa took on the task of reviving the community garden in March, working tirelessly and into the evenings, on weekends and on her days off to get it ready for the neighborhoods.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Jimmy Dutra, Mayor of the City of Watsonville, in the State of California, on behalf of the City Council hereby acknowledge Teresa Martinez-Rodriguez for her dedication and commitment to the Carey-Davis Community Garden revitalization initiative.

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