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BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF FRESNO
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

**IN THE MATTER OF PROCLAIMING)
JANUARY 2018 TO BE "NATIONAL SLAVERY)
AND HUMAN TRAFFICKING PREVENTION MONTH")**

RESOLUTION NO. 18-038

WHEREAS, Fresno EOC Sanctuary and Youth Services Central Valley Against Human Trafficking project assisted and identified over 550 victims of human trafficking from our local communities; and

WHEREAS, the Central Valley Against Human Trafficking project provides resources to empower self-sufficiency, restore dignity, and support recovery from trauma for survivors; and

WHEREAS, the International Labor Organization recognizes there are an estimated 40.3 million people in modern slavery globally where one in four victims are children; and

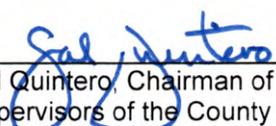
WHEREAS, National Center for Missing and Exploited Children estimates one out of six endangered runaways are likely child sex trafficking victims; and

WHEREAS, the U.S. Department of Labor identified 139 goods from 75 countries made by forced and child labor.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Fresno County Board of Supervisors hereby proclaims January 2018, to be "National Slavery and Human Trafficking Prevention Month," in recognition of the greater need for awareness and accountability in regard to this form of modern-day slavery.

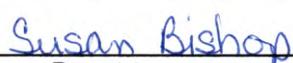
THE FOREGOING, was passed and adopted by the following vote of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Fresno this 23rd day of January, 2018, to-wit:

AYES: Supervisors Borgeas, Magsig, Mendes, Pacheco, Quintero
NOES: None
ABSENT: None
ABSTAINED: None



Sal Quintero, Chairman of the Board of
Supervisors of the County of Fresno

ATTEST:
BERNICE E. SEIDEL
Clerk to the Board of Supervisors
County of Fresno, State of California

By 

Deputy