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BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF FRESNO
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION NO. 25-374

**ADOPT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING NENG CHU VANG, SON OF)
GENERAL VANG PAO, FOR HIS SERVICE AND CONTRIBUTIONS)
TO THE HMONG COMMUNITY IN THE COUNTY OF FRESNO)**

WHEREAS, the Hmong people bravely served alongside the United States during the Secret War, known as the Vietnam War, and have now resided in Fresno County for 50 years, establishing a vibrant and resilient community; and

WHEREAS, General Vang Pao, an influential and revered Hmong leader, played a pivotal role in the migration of Hmong refugees to the United States, leading efforts to establish Hmong communities across the country and helping to create one of the largest Hmong refugee resettlement areas in the nation here in Fresno County; and

WHEREAS, General Vang Pao, through the traditional 18 Clans family infrastructure, represented by the surnames Chang, Cheng, Chu, Fang, Hang, Her, Khang, Kong, Kue, Lee, Lor, Pha, Thao, Vang, Vue, Xiong, Moua and Yang, helped preserve cultural identity, strengthen unity, and guide the Hmong community's transition into their new life as Hmong Americans; and

WHEREAS, Neng Chu Vang, the family-designated successor of General Vang Pao and son of the late General, continues this legacy by working closely with the 18 Clans family infrastructure to maintain cultural preservation, provide resources and support, and strengthen the connection between the Hmong community and the broader community; and

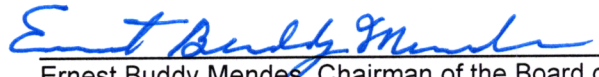
WHEREAS, Neng Chu Vang's steadfast dedication to strengthening collaboration between the Hmong community and County leaders, his efforts to preserve and promote the proud heritage, history, and traditions of the Hmong people continues to enrich the cultural fabric and unity of Fresno County; and

WHEREAS, Neng Chu Vang, together with the Hmong family leaders, remains committed to strengthening the Hmong community by collaborating with former and current Hmong elected officials, local nonprofit organizations, educational institutions, and service providers to identify needs, promote resiliency, and uplift the Hmong community in Fresno County.

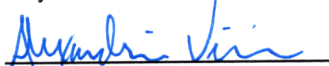
NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Fresno County Board of Supervisors proudly recognizes and honors Neng Chu Vang, son of the late General Vang Pao, for his unwavering commitment, leadership, service to the Hmong community, and for his role as a bridge-builder, advocate, and valued partner in advancing the shared vision of a stronger, more connected Fresno County.

THE FOREGOING, was passed and adopted by the following vote of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Fresno this 9th day of December 2025, to-wit:

AYES: Supervisors Bredefeld, Chavez, Magsig, Mendes, Pacheco
NOES: None
ABSENT: None
ABSTAINED: None


Ernest Buddy Mendes, Chairman of the Board of
Supervisors of the County of Fresno

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

By 
Deputy