1	BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF FRESNO
2	STATE OF CALIFORNIA
3 4	IN THE MATTER OF RECOGNIZING THE DEPARTMENT) OF PUBLIC HEALTH'S 2017 CHAMPIONS FOR THEIR) DEDICATION TO ADVANCING THE HEALTH AND WELL -)
5	BEING OF ALL RESIDENTS IN FRESNO COUNTY)
6	WHEREAS, National Public Health Week, April 3 – 9, 2017, provides the opportunity to increase public awareness about gains in health and well-being attributable to advances in Public Health over the past 100 years; and
7 8	WHEREAS, The Department of Public Health has adopted <i>Eight Pillars of Public Health</i> to serve as the foundation for a healthy and vibrant Fresno County; and
9	WHEREAS, The Board of Supervisors encourages families, employers, retailers, community and spiritual leaders, media, and public officials to take action to improve the overall health of Fresno County; and
11	WHEREAS, It is important to also recognize and thank all of the agencies, organizations, health providers, educators and individuals who work to promote and protect the health and wellness of all individuals in Fresno County; and
12	WHEREAS, The 2017 Public Health Champions who exemplify the hard work needed to improve public health in Fresno County are:
14 15	 Employee of the Year, Stephanie Garcia, Supervising Communicable Disease Specialist, for her knowledge, expertise, dedication, and professionalism in the Community Health Division of the Department of Public Health; Public Health Champions, Syphilis Response Team, for their hard work and dedication in responding to the Syphilis epidemic; Community Partners, Angel Babies, for their incredible work in providing helpful information and support to grieving families and Barbara Anderson, for her commitment and long-term coverage of important health related issues that impact the residents of Fresno County.
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18 19	NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Fresno County Board of Supervisors hereby recognizes the Department of Public Health's 2017 Public Health Champions for their dedication to advancing the health and well-being of all residents in Fresno County; and
20	BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Fresno County Board of Supervisors hereby proclaim the week of April 3 – 9, 2017, as National Public Health Week.
21 22	THE FOREGOING was passed and adopted by the following vote of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Fresno this 4 TH day of April, 2017, to-wit:
23	AYES: Supervisors, Borgeas, Magsig, Mendes, Pacheco, Quintero NOES: None
24	ABSENT: None
25	CHAIRMAN, Board of Supervisors
26 27	ATTEST: BERNICE E. SEIDEL Clerk, Board of Supervisors
28	By <u>Susan Bishap</u> Deputy