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BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

COUNTY OF FRESNO STATE OF CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION NO. 17-255

IN THE MATTER OF RECOGNIZING APRIL 25, 2017)
AS "AMERICAN AMBULANCE DAY"

WHEREAS, As healthcare's first responders, emergency medical service paramedics are dedicated to assuring the delivery of excellent pre-hospital care to the public by promoting industry best practices in achieving positive patient outcomes; and

WHEREAS, American Ambulance is the sole 9-1-1 provider for the exclusive operating area of Fresno County and Kings County in Central California. Paramedics and Emergency Medical Technicians respond to over 4000 square miles and 135,000 calls annually with over 550 personnel and almost 100 ground and air ambulances; and

WHEREAS, The California Ambulance Association's Annual Stars of Life and Legislative Summit is a two-day event where industry leaders meet with members of the legislature at the State Capitol on health care delivery importance and recognizing exemplary industry leaders; and

WHEREAS, On April 4, 2017 nominated by their peers, forty-eight honorees state wide were given California Ambulance Association's "Stars of Life" Awards among which American Ambulance was represented, and were recognized by both the California State Assembly and State Senate legislators; and

WHEREAS, Christopher Zaczek, a Supervisor at American Ambulance, was presented as Paramedic of the Year, a state level award recognizing ambulance employees whose efforts have gone above and beyond the call of duty dedicated professionals in the ambulance industry statewide; and

WHEREAS, Employees describe American Ambulance as providing great work experience, continuous training programs, strict about providing excellent service to hospitals and their patients, while fostering a tight-knit company community feeling.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Fresno County Board of Supervisors hereby recognizes and expresses appreciation to American Ambulance for ongoing contributions, and dedication to the residents, thus proclaims this April 25, 2017 as American Ambulance Day in the County of Fresno

Adopted by the Fresno County Board of Supervisors this 25th day of April 2017, by the following vote, to wit:

AYES:

Supervisors Borgeas, Magsig, Mendes, Pacheco, Quintero

NOES: ABSENT: None

None

CHAIRMAN, BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

ATTEST:

BERNICE E. SEIDEL, Clerk Board of Supervisors

By Deputy