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**BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**  
COUNTY OF FRESNO  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE MATTER OF PROCLAIMING)  
OCTOBER 21, 2017 AS HAMMER )  
ROAD RALLY DAY )

RESOLUTION NO. 17-441

**WHEREAS**, the residents of Fresno County enjoy the sport of cycling and cycling events across the County have brought a valuable tourist aspect and economic benefit to the community, and

**WHEREAS**, events such as the Climb to Kaiser Bike Ride, Tour de Fresno, and others have attracted hundreds of local cyclists and cyclists from across the nation to compete in these events all the while enjoying Fresno County's scenic routes and culture, and

**WHEREAS**, The Hammer Road Rally was born from the love of adventure on the bicycle through the life of longtime Fresno County resident Edward O. Lund who left this world with the inspiration to create an event that epitomized the characteristically adventurous rides he so enjoyed, and

**WHEREAS**, The Hammer Road Rally which takes place on October 21st, 2017 will begin at Millerton Lake and will span several communities in Fresno County District Five including Friant, Prather and Auberry and will even include a segment of Bass Lake in Madera County as riders prepare to make their final descent, and

**WHEREAS**, the strenuous ride will challenge riders with an unconventional race format involving portions of the route designated for the enjoyment of the sport, while varying segments of the route will give riders the opportunity to race against the clock and their fellow cyclists.

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Fresno County Board of Supervisors hereby proclaims October 21, 2017 as Hammer Road Rally Day and encourages residents and visitors to partake in this unique cycling event which commemorates the life of Edward O. Lund and his passion for cycling, art and adventure.

**THE FOREGOING** was passed and adopted by the following vote of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Fresno this 26<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2017, to-wit:

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

  
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CHAIRMAN, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:  
BERNICE E. SEIDEL  
Clerk, Board of Supervisors

By Susan Bishop  
Deputy