BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

IN THE MATTER OF RECOGNIZING AND EXPRESS)
CONGRATULATIONS TO THE GRADUATES AND THE)

MENTORS OF THE FRESNO COUNTY VETERAN'S

TREATMENT COURT

community organizations; and

COUNTY OF FRESNO STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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ATTEST:

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors County of Fresno, State of California

Susan Bishop
Deputy

RESOLUTION NO. 18-322

WHEREAS, Fresno County Veteran's Treatment Court began in June 2016 and is a collaboration between the Fresno County District Attorney's Office, Fresno County Probation, Fresno County Public Defender's Office, Fresno Superior Court, VA Central Health Care System, and other veteran and

WHEREAS, The Veteran's Treatment Court focuses on rehabilitation through treatment, mentoring and accountability to help connect justice-involved veterans with benefits such as employment, education, and counseling to put them on the road to recovery; and

WHEREAS, Participants are paired with a volunteer mentor to guide them through the rigorous demand of the program; and

WHEREAS, Timothy Jones and Daniel McDonald participated and successfully graduated from the Veteran's Treatment Court with the support and dedication from their mentors; and

WHEREAS, Mentors George Fitzhenry, Nick Ramey, Doug Rix, Gid Adkisson, Jim Dice, Steve Manelski, Bill Hamilton, Suzie Peterson, Mario Soberal, Tom Zonsius, Thom Miller, John Templeton, Rene Duran, Kirk Delmas and Fred Cogan contributed hard work and determination to ensure the success of the participants that they committed to serve.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Fresno County Board of Supervisors hereby recognize and express congratulations to the graduates and the mentors of the Fresno County Veteran's Treatment Court.

THE FOREGOING, was passed and adopted by the following vote of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Fresno this 25TH day of September, 2018, to-wit:

AYES: Supervisors, Borgeas, Magsig, Mendes, Pacheco, Quintero

NOES: None ABSENT: None ABSTAINED: None

> Sal Quintero, Chairpers on of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Fresno