## BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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IN THE MATTER OF PROCLAIMING THE MONTH)
OF SEPTEMBER 2019 AS NATIONAL ALCOHOL)
AND DRUG ADDICTION RECOVERY MONTH

**RESOLUTION NO. 19-348** 

WHEREAS, The United States Department of Health and Human Services, the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Service Administration, and the White House Office of National Drug Control Policy recognize September as National Alcohol and Drug Addiction Recovery Month by offering services where people can learn about recovery in order to encourage, educate, and help improve the lives of family, friends, and the community as a whole; and

**WHEREAS**, research shows that substance use disorders are medical conditions that can be effectively treated. Treatment and recovery improve the community's welfare and provide a renewed outlook on life for those who struggle with substance use disorders and a renewed outlook for their family and friends; and

WHEREAS, Fresno County is hosting the 14th annual Soberstock along with Community Partners 4 Recovery (CP4R) on September 27th and 28th to celebrate National Alcohol and Drug Addiction Recovery Month at Manchester Center. This is a free event for the community; there will be food, live music, guest speakers, information booths from community partners, testimonials, and a classic car show

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Fresno County Board of Supervisors hereby proclaims the month of September 2019 as National Alcohol and Drug Addiction Recovery Month in Fresno County and call upon the people of Fresno County to observe this month by supporting local programs and activities related to this year's Recovery Monthly event – "Join the Voices for Recovery: Together We Are Stronger".

**THE FOREGOING,** was passed and adopted by the following vote of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Fresno this 10<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2019, to-wit:

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

NOES: None ABSENT: None ABSTAINED: None

> Nathan Magsig, 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

Susan Bishop
Deputy