

**Before the Board of Supervisors in and for the
County of Monterey, State of California**

Resolution No.

Honoring the **City of Dubrovnik, Croatia**
on their visit to the County of Monterey
and their partnership with the City of
Monterey

WHEREAS, the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) established a “Technical Twinning” exchange between the **City of Dubrovnik, Croatia** and Monterey, California for a two year period starting in Spring 2005; and

WHEREAS, the primary tasks of this exchange were to develop tourism activities based on long-term, responsible and sustainable principles; develop a better understanding of public finances and joint public-private partnerships; to explore opportunities to increase the awareness of historic preservation; and to facilitate culture, sports and education as economic development possibilities; and

WHEREAS, this exchange was highly successful; and

WHEREAS, the cities and counties of Dubrovnik and Monterey are very similar with respect to their significant historic, geographic and cultural values as well as their dependency on sustainable tourism; and

WHEREAS, both cities have continued this relationship with a series of cities exchanges; and

WHEREAS, representatives from the County and City of Monterey have traveled to Zagreb, Dubrovnik and Rijeka to share their knowledge with Croatian officials and have greatly enjoyed the beauty and hospitality of the Croatian people and look forward to continuing the many lasting friendships that have developed,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors, on behalf of the County and all citizens thereof, salutes the continuance of the Sister City relationship between the **City of Dubrovnik, Croatia** and the City of Monterey and welcomes Mayor Andro Vlahušić and the dignitaries from Dubrovnik to Monterey County.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this _____ day of _____, 2011 by the following vote, to wit:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

I, Gail Borkowski, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Monterey, State of California, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of an original order of said Board Supervisors duly made and entered in the minutes thereof of Minute Book _____, for the meeting on _____.

Dated:

Gail Borkowski, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
County of Monterey, State of California.

By _____
Deputy