

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE  
COUNTY OF AMADOR, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

IN THE MATTER OF:

RESOLUTION HONORING MERZLAK SIGNS )  
ON THEIR 40<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY OF BUSINESS )  
IN AMADOR COUNTY )

RESOLUTION NO. 22-114

WHEREAS, In August of 1982, Ralph and Sharon Merzlak and their son, Kam, moved from Marin County to Amador County; and

WHEREAS, Ralph built a sign business and by 1987, the Merzlak's had a well-established sign company in Amador County; and

WHEREAS, In 1990, the building where Merzlak Signs is currently located was for sale. The Merzlak's purchased the building. Ralph and Sharon continued to create artistic hand painted signs until Ralph became terminally ill and passed away in 2006; and

WHEREAS, Ralph and Sharon's son, Kam, stepped aside from a far more lucrative sign business he built with auto dealerships around the United States to be with his mother, Sharon, to continue his father's legacy. Kam's community involvement landed him titles such as "Amador County Citizen of the Year", "Mayor's Recognition Award", "Patron of the Arts" and more.

THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Amador, State of California, does hereby honor Merzlak Signs celebrating 40 years of business in Amador County.

The foregoing resolution was duly passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors in the County of Amador at a regular meeting thereof, held on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August, 2022, by the following vote:

AYES: Richard M. Forster, Jeff Brown, Brian Oneto, Patrick Crew, Frank U. Axe

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

  
Richard M. Forster, Chairman, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:  
JENNIFER BURNS, Clerk of the  
Board of Supervisors, Amador County,  
California

  
Deputy