

COMMENDING DR. AVERY E. STURM ON HIS RETIREMENT AS
MARIPOSA COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICER

WHEREAS, DR. AVERY E. STURM served the County as Public Health Officer since April, 1970; and

WHEREAS, DR. AVERY E. STURM served the Yosemite National Park, as director of the Lewis Memorial Hospital, with the exception of time in the service during World War II, from 1935 until 1970; and

WHEREAS, DR. AVERY E. STURM has been recognized as an outstanding orthopedist and was chosen as a physician for the Winter Olympics in 1960 in Squaw Valley due to his skill and reputation; and

WHEREAS, DR. AVERY E. STURM is admired for his ability, intelligence and accomplishments by his patients and colleagues, and recognized as having the attributes to have been successful in any setting within his chosen profession; and

WHEREAS, DR. AVERY E. STURM has chosen to live and work in Mariposa County, having come to Yosemite in 1935 and stayed; and

WHEREAS, DR. AVERY E. STURM'S medical career included working in circumstances virtually unheard of in California today; going to the scene of accidents to treat patients on-site, and performing successful surgery under primitive conditions; and

WHEREAS, DR. AVERY E. STURM has administered the Mariposa County Public Health programs with expertise and dedication, ably representing the County's interests to the State on many occasions.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors, a political subdivision of the State of California, that DR. AVERY E. STURM be commended with the heartfelt thanks of the County of Mariposa and her citizens.

PASSED AND ADOPTED, this 14th day of June, 1988, by the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors by the following vote:

- AYES: BAGGETT, DALTON, ERICKSON, RADANOVICH, TABER
- NOES: NONE
- ABSENT: NONE
- ABSTAINED: NONE

ERIC J. ERICKSON, Chairman
District III

ARTHUR G. BAGGETT, Jr., District I

EUGENE P. DALTON, Jr., District II

LEROY RADANOVICH, District IV

GERTRUDE R. TABER, District V

