RESOLUTION

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA
RESOLUTION HONORING AND CONGRATULATING

Mike Iacopi – Iacopi Farm

WHEREAS, Mike Iacopi was born in San Mateo, becoming the youngest of three sons of Louie and Irene Iacopi; and

WHEREAS, Mike Iacopi was raised in Half Moon Bay and graduated from Half Moon Bay High School, being involved in FFA during all of his years in High School; and

WHEREAS, Mike Icaopi since being a very young boy loved the outdoors, driving tractors since he was 8 years old and playing in the dirt; and

WHEREAS, Mike Iacopi began learning about Farming from his father, including installing and repairing irrigation systems, the love of producing fresh produce, the merits of dry farming and the passion of Farming; and

WHEREAS, Mike Iacopi, by the age of 12, was going to Farmers Markets throughout the Bay Area, helping his father sell produce, all the while promoting the Family Farm and its produce and the link of "Get Fresh" from the farmers to the consumers; and

WHEREAS, Mike Iacopi, known for his personality and social side, earned the nickname of "the Mayor" by his friends and always has time for conversation and for helping any of his fellow farmers when needed; and

WHEREAS, Mike Iacopi is well respected by his fellow farmers and loved by his family and friends and proud to be a 3rd generation Farmer.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of San Mateo County hereby congratulates **Mike Iacopi of Iacopi Farm** upon receiving the **Farmer of the Year Award** from the Half Moon Bay Coastside Chamber of Commerce and Visitors' Bureau for all that he has given to his community and as tribute to the admiration and love given him by his family and friends.

Dated: April 1, 2016	SUPERVISORS:
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