Resolution No. 2017-

RESOLUTION OF THE SOLANO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS RECOGNIZING THE 25TH ANNUAL STAN FOSTER MEMORIAL GOLF TOURNAMENT AND THE ASSISTANCE IT HAS PROVIDED TO A COMMUNITY MEMBER IN NEED EACH YEAR

WHEREAS, Stan Foster was a lifelong Vacaville resident and a standout athlete who shared a passion for the game of golf. Sadly, Stan lost his battle against liver cancer in 1993; and

WHEREAS, more than two decades ago, Stan's family and friends decided to honor his memory and help others in the community. The Stan Foster Memorial Golf Tournament was created 25 years ago as a day of fun, a chance to catch up with old friends and help someone else in need. This year's tournament is held Sept. 15, 2017; and

WHEREAS, each year, proceeds from the Stan Foster Memorial Golf Tournament go directly to an adult or child in the community who could benefit from financial help while battling a serious illness, such as cancer; and

WHEREAS, a major cost of cancer is treatment. But lack of health insurance, the inability to work a job and other barriers to health care prevent many Americans from getting the best treatment. A cancer diagnosis can often be emotionally and financially devastating for a patient and their families; and

WHEREAS, recipients of the Stan Foster Memorial Golf Tournament have benefitted from the generosity of sponsors, individual donors and tournament participants. This year's recipient, Ashlee Inglesby, a young Vacaville woman, suffers from severe Aplastic Anemia, has already undergone a bone marrow transplant, faces the burden of ongoing tests and is unable to work. Past recipients have suffered from such diseases as non-Hodgkins lymphoma, throat cancer and leukemia.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Solano County Board of Supervisors hereby recognizes the 25th annual Stan Foster Memorial Golf Tournament Foundation, its board members and the help that the individuals and event continues to provide to a community member each year that is battling a serious and deadly disease.

Dated this 12th day of September, 2017

JOHN M. VASQUEZ, Chair Solano County Board of Supervisors

ATTEST: BIRGITTA E. CORSELLO, Clerk Solano County Board of Supervisors

By: _____ Jeanette Neiger, Chief Deputy Clerk