



COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR
LORNA SARAH STEELE, PROBATION ASSISTANT
FOR OVER 26 YEARS OF DEDICATED SERVICE
TO THE CITIZENS AND COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

WHEREAS, Lorna Steele was born in Portsmouth, New Hampshire, and she enjoyed farm life as a child before moving with her family to California as a teen. She attended and graduated from San Marcos High School and has completed a range of professional development courses from the Santa Barbara County Employee's University, and

WHEREAS, Lorna began her career with the County of Santa Barbara in 1991 as an extra help Clerk Typist II with the Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Office. In 1995, she promoted to extra help Clerk Typist III (CTIII) while joining County Alcohol, Drug & Mental Health Services, where she assisted a team of clinicians with data entry and client case processing, and

WHEREAS, Lorna was hired by the Probation Department in 1997 as a full-time CTIII, where she has provided over 26 years of service in various assignments. She initially joined the Juvenile Division assigned to the Multi-Agency Integrated System of Care (MISC Unit). Lorna was promoted to Probation Assistant (PA) in 2000, assigned to the Adult Supervision "Bank" caseload, where she assisted with the supervision and case management of up to 800 clients. During this time, she reviewed case documents, worked closely with partner agencies, including the District Attorney's Office, and assisted with client referrals to available community resources. In 2021, Lorna transitioned to a PA assignment within the Pretrial Supervision Unit, where she assisted in the monitoring of approximately 300 cases with data entry, form processing, client telephone contacts, and collection of statistical data related to Pretrial activity, and

WHEREAS, Lorna has enjoyed over 40 years of marriage with her husband Randy and she is looking forward to spending time with her three adult children and two grandsons. She plans to travel to Europe and North America, enjoy relaxation and leisure, and dedicate more time to her faith and ministry.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED AND RESOLVED, that this Board of Supervisors recognize Lorna Steele for over 26 years of dedicated service to the field of Probation, with additional service in the form of extra help to the County of Santa Barbara, and extend our best wishes for a fulfilling, enjoyable, and rewarding retirement.

PASSED AND ADOPTED, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California this 21st day of March by the unanimous vote of all members present.



ATTEST:

Monica Reyes
Clerk of the Board

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