

OUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR LIEUTENANT RONALD "SONNY" LEGAULT **UPON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE** SHERIFF'S OFFICE

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WHEREAS, Ronald "Sonny" LeGault retired from County service on Sunday, June 30, 2011, having faithfully served the Sheriff's Office for over 33 years, during which he served as a Sheriff's Lieutenant; and

WHEREAS, Ronald "Sonny" LeGault started his career with Santa Barbara County on January 16, 1978, as a Sheriff's Deputy. In 1986 he was promoted to the classification of Detective in the Special Investigative Narcotics Bureau, working major narcotics investigations. During his thirty three years of service, he has worked in various investigative capacities, most notably as a detective, supervisor and manager in the Criminal Investigations Division, where he served to bring justice to the families of numerous crime victims; and

WHEREAS, Ronald "Sonny" LeGault, throughout his career, provided the employees of the Sheriff's Office positive leadership and professionalism, allowing him to rise steadily through the organization, attaining the rank of Lieutenant; and

WHEREAS, Ronald "Sonny" LeGault provided the citizens of Santa Barbara County extraordinary professionalism and sensitive law enforcement service while dedicating his life to the pursuit of justice; and

WHEREAS, Ronald "Sonny" LeGault's knowledge, skills and experience contributed greatly to the overall professionalism and the goals of the Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Office as well as the objectives of the county.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors commends Ronald "Sonny" LeGault for his faithful and distinguished service to the citizens of Santa Barbara County, congratulates him upon his retirement, and wishes him and his wife, Kathi, continued good health and many years of happiness.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California, this 2nd day of August, 2011 by unanimous vote of all members present.

Supervisor - 1st District

visor - 3rd District

Supervisor - 5th District