

**RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR
CUSTODY DEPUTY DONATA A. CROMBY
UPON HER RETIREMENT FROM THE
SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT**

WHEREAS, Donata A. Cromby retired from County service on March 24, 2008, having faithfully served the Sheriff's Department for twenty-one plus years; and

WHEREAS, Donata A. Cromby started her career with the County of Santa Barbara on December 29, 1986 as a Deputy Sheriff, and transferred to the position of Sheriff's Correction Officer in 1987; and

WHEREAS, During her twenty-one years of service, Donata A. Cromby worked in various capacities, from a module officer in the Main Jail where she supervised and maintained security and safety of the inmates housed in the County Jail, to a Senior Correction Officer supervising officers assigned at the La Morada female honor farm facility, to her final assignment in the Transportation Unit; and

WHEREAS, in December of 2007, Donata A. Cromby, along with her fellow officers, transitioned from the Sheriff's Correction Officer classification to Custody Deputy; and

WHEREAS, Donata A. Cromby, throughout her career, displayed a positive attitude and provided the citizens of Santa Barbara County extraordinary professionalism and law enforcement services while dedicating her life to the safe and secure detention of inmates incarcerated in the Santa Barbara County Jail; and

WHEREAS, Donata A. Cromby's knowledge, skills and experience contributed greatly to the overall professionalism and goals of the Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Department as well as the objectives of the County.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors commends Donata A. Cromby for her faithful and distinguished service to the citizens of Santa Barbara County, congratulates her upon her retirement, and wishes her and her husband, Chuck, continued good health and many years of happiness.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California, this May 6, 2008, by unanimous vote of all members present.