



COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR BRIAN UHL EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH, NOVEMBER 2018

WHEREAS, Brian Uhl has effectively performed his duties as a member of the County Office of Emergency storms, floods, wildfires and the 1/9 Debris Flow; and

WHEREAS, during the Thomas Fire and ensuing 1/9 Debris Flow, Brian worked consecutively for four months, 16 or more hours a day, often sleeping in his office and, also provides Duty Officer coverage 10 days a month requiring that he be called upon day and night to rapidly coordinate emergency related intelligence and information and be ready to activate the Emergency Operations Center; and

WHEREAS, Brian has greatly improved the coordination and training of our County Animal Services and the non-profit animal rescue organizations Humane Society and Equine Rescue, and over a 2-year period has worked with stakeholders on a complex alerting system including the Emergency Alert System, the Aware & Prepare Everbridge and the Radio Ready Program to make this system a reliable part of a comprehensive alerting system for County residents; and

WHEREAS, Brian is supported by his wife Clarissa who without complaint recognizes the important service Brian provides to the County and is respected by his peers and supervisors for his high moral integrity, strong principle driven work ethic, professional demeanor and his commitment to public service, Brian does the right thing always no matter if anyone is watching or not, he is the person you want on your team; and

WHEREAS, the Santa Barbara County Board of Supervisors wishes to thank Emergency Manager Brian Uhl for his dedication and personal commitment, for his service and sacrifice he has made to the residents of this County during the Thomas Fire and 1/9 Debris Flow.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED AND ORDERED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Barbara, State of California, the recognition of Emergency Manager Brian Uhl as the Santa Barbara County Employee of the Month for the month of November 2018.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California this 6th day of November, 2018 by the unanimous vote of the members present.



ATTEST:

Sharon Reyes
Clerk of the Board

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