

## **COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA**

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR SHERIFF'S DEPUTY, SPECIAL DUTY JOHN HENRY MCCARTHY UPON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE

## **CALIFORNIA**

WHEREAS, John Henry McCarthy will be retiring from County service on Thursday, June 14, 2018, having faithfully served the Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Office for over 24 years; and

WHEREAS, John Henry McCarthy started his career with Santa Barbara County on March 28, 1994, as a Sheriff's Deputy. During his 24 years of service, he has worked in various capacities which included Field Training Officer, Search & Rescue Coordinator, and a temporary duty in the Sheriff's Public Safety Dispatch Center; and

WHEREAS, John Henry McCarthy, 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 Sheriff's Deputy, Special Duty; and

WHEREAS, John Henry McCarthy provided the citizens of Santa Barbara County extraordinary professionalism & sensitive law enforcement service while dedicating his life to the pursuit of justice & having had a significant assignment in the North County Operations Bureau to include significant contributions to the community as a Sheriff's Deputy, Special Duty for the Rural Crime Unit; and

WHEREAS, John Henry McCarthy'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. Serving admirably and being awarded the H. Thomas Guerry Award for Superior Performance and the Sheriff's Office Distinguished Service Award, both in 2013.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors commends Sheriff's Deputy, Special Duty John Henry McCarthy for his faithful and distinguished service to the citizens of Santa Barbara County, congratulates him upon his retirement, and wishes him continued good health and many years of happiness.

*PASSED AND ADOPTED* by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of June 2018 by unanimous vote of all members present.

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