

**RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR  
SERGEANT JERRY R. CORNELL  
UPON HIS RETIREMENT FROM  
THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT**

*WHEREAS, Jerry Cornell will be retiring from County service on July 14, 2008, having faithfully served the County of Santa Barbara for over 29 years; and*

*WHEREAS, Jerry Cornell began his County service when he was hired by the Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Department on May 28, 1979 and was assigned to North County Operations Division, Santa Maria patrol; and*

*WHEREAS, Jerry Cornell served with distinction in various assignments over the years as a Deputy Sheriff including patrol Deputy, Detective-Central Stations, Bailiff-Court Services, D.A.R.E. Officer, Major Crimes Detective- Sheriff's Headquarters, and Field Training Officer; and*

*WHEREAS, Jerry Cornell, on June 24, 2002, attained the rank of Sheriff's Sergeant and was assigned to Santa Maria patrol, thereafter working various assignments, including the Training Bureau, overseeing the department's Field Training Officer program, D.A.R.E. program, Gang Unit, and School Resource Officer program; and*

*WHEREAS, Jerry Cornell, in March of 2006, transferred to the Court Services Bureau, Santa Maria Courts, and had the responsibility of providing a secure atmosphere conducive to the peaceful, efficient administration of justice; and*

***NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED** that this Board of Supervisors commends Jerry Cornell, for his faithful and distinguished service to the citizens of Santa Barbara County and congratulates him upon his retirement and wishes him and his wife, Shari, and their children, Joshua, Curtis, Brandon, and Chelsey, continued good health and many years of happiness.*

***PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California, this 8<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2008 by unanimous vote of all members present.*