

## COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR CALIFORNIA

DENNIS GRINDELL
EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH
SANTA BARBARA COUNTY, DECEMBER 2008

WHEREAS, District Attorney Investigator Dennis Grindell has been selected as Santa Barbara County's December 2008 Employee of the Month for his dedicated efforts to provide investigative services in identifying public assistance fraud in the central portion of the county; and

WHEREAS, Investigator Grindell provides outstanding service to the staff of prosecutors and investigators in the Welfare Fraud Unit, working closely with Department of Social Services staff to investigate and prosecute violators; and

WHEREAS, he has shown consistency and reliability by working as the lone investigator in the Lompoc office handling the largest case load of any investigator assigned to the unit, and working effectively and independently with minimum supervision; and

WHEREAS, Investigator Grindell has demonstrated expertise in all areas of public assistance fraud, working intake, application verification, cases, and complex ongoing fraud investigations, as well as providing litigation support for his cases, and assisting other investigators; and

WHEREAS, Investigator Grindell displays consistent dedication, enthusiasm, and professionalism in the performance of his responsibilities as a member of the Bureau of Investigations of the District Attorney's Office;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors recognizes Investigator Dennis Grindell for his 17 years of outstanding service dedicated to conducting investigations for the District Attorney's Office.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by this Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California this 16th day of December, 2008, by unanimous vote of the members present.

Supervisor - Ist District

Supervisor - 2nd District

Supervisor - 3rd District

ATTEST

Clerk of the Board

Supervisor - 5th District

Supervisor - 5th District