

COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA

RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR SHERIFF'S DEPUTY, SPECIAL DUTY HAJIME "MARK" HAMANE UPON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE **CALIFORNIA**

WHEREAS, Mark Hamane will be retiring from County service on Sunday, March 15, 2015, having faithfully served the Sheriff's Office for nearly twenty-nine years, during which he served as a Corrections Officer, Sheriff's Deputy and a Sheriff's Deputy, Special Duty; and

WHEREAS, Mark Hamane started his career with Santa Barbara County on June 2, 1986, as a Corrections Officer in the Main Jail. In December 1986, he became a Sheriff's Deputy. During his years of service, he worked in various capacities, which included Detention and Corrections, Patrol, Mobile Field Force and the Special Enforcement Team (SWAT), where he served to bring justice to the families of numerous crime victims; and

WHEREAS, Mark Hamane, throughout his career, provided the employees of the Sheriff's Office positive leadership and professionalism, allowing him to rise to the rank of Sheriff's Deputy, Special Duty; and

WHEREAS, Mark Hamane provided the citizens of Santa Barbara County extraordinary professionalism and sensitive law enforcement service while dedicating his life to the pursuit of justice; and

WHEREAS, Mark Hamane'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.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED that this Board of Supervisors commends Mark Hamane for his faithful and distinguished service to the citizens of Santa Barbara County, congratulates him upon his retirement, and wishes him and his wife, Maria, continued good health and many years of happiness.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Santa Barbara County, State of California, 10th day of March 2015, by unanimous vote of all members present.

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