



# COUNTY OF SANTA BARBARA CALIFORNIA

**RESOLUTION OF COMMENDATION FOR  
SHERIFF'S DEPUTY, SPECIAL DUTY  
JOHNNY L. LANGEHENNING JR.  
UPON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE  
SHERIFF'S OFFICE**

**WHEREAS**, Johnny L. Langehennig Jr retired from County service on Thursday, March 1, 2018, having faithfully served the Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Office for 28 years, during which he served as a Sheriff's Deputy and Sheriff's Deputy, Special Duty; and

**WHEREAS**, Johnny L. Langehennig Jr., throughout his career, provided the employees of the Sheriff's Office positive leadership and professionalism, administering his work in the Communities of Santa Barbara, Buellton, Lompoc, and Santa Maria stations and was a member of the Santa Barbara Sheriff's Office - Special Enforcement Team, Field Training Officer, Patrol Senior Deputy, Law Enforcement Tactical Officer at the Allan Hancock Law Enforcement Academy and his long term assignment to the Mobile Field Force; and

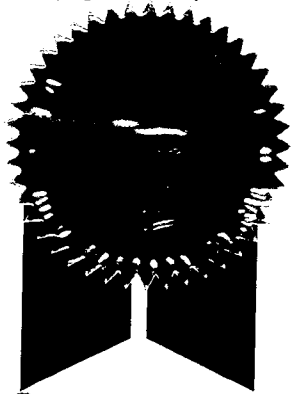
**WHEREAS**, Johnny L. Langehennig Jr., provided the citizens of Santa Barbara County extraordinary professionalism & sensitive law enforcement service while dedicating his life to the pursuit of justice & having had a significant assignment in the North County Operations Bureau; and

**WHEREAS**, Johnny L. Langehennig Jr., was awarded the H. Thomas Guerry Award for Valor for his actions during and after a pursuit, in which the suspect sped away from deputies at speeds reaching over 100 MPH and eventually crashing his vehicle, which caught on fire. Johnny L. Langehennig was able to remove a passenger from the burning vehicle, return to the burning vehicle and remove the unwilling driver/suspect from the burning vehicle. His heroic effort undoubtedly saved these two men from serious injury or death; and

**WHEREAS**, Johnny L. Langehennig's knowledge, skills & experience contributed greatly to the overall professionalism and the goals of the Santa Barbara County Sheriff's Office.

**NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AND RESOLVED** that the Board of Supervisors commends Sheriff's Deputy, Special Duty Johnny L. Langehennig Jr., 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 3<sup>rd</sup> day of April, 2018 by unanimous vote of all members present.



ATTEST:

*Monique [Signature]*  
Clerk of the Board

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Supervisor - 1st District  
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Supervisor - 2nd District  
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