

Resolution

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF SAN MATEO
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION HONORING

MICHAEL J. BLAGROVE

WHEREAS, Captain Blagrove began his service in law enforcement with the City of Pacifica as a Police Officer on April 5, 1971; and

WHEREAS, Captain Blagrove was promoted to Field Training Officer November 18, 1977, to Corporal July 15, 1987, to Sergeant on March 4, 1988, to Captain on September 16, 1996, and

WHEREAS, Captain Blagrove is a charter member of the Pacifica Police Officers Association having served two terms as Treasurer and two as President; and

WHEREAS, Captain Blagrove earned his Basic, Intermediate, Advanced, Supervisory, and Management POST Certificates, as well as, his Bachelor's Degree from St. Mary's College; and

WHEREAS, Captain Blagrove assisted in the development of the Field Training Program and Field Training Guide, and later revised and computerized the Field Training Guide as well as developing and writing the Report Writing Manual; and developed and wrote several of the department's Transitional Training Manuals.

WHEREAS, Captain Blagrove was the first recipient of the Pacifica Moose Lodge Officer of the Year Award; was recognized as the City of Pacifica Employee of the Year in 1986; and received the Peninsula Lions Club Award for Community Service; and

WHEREAS, Captain Blagrove has served his country with 4 years of active duty in the United States Navy; and

WHEREAS, Captain Blagrove is one of only two Pacifica Police officers to receive the Medal of Valor for his selfless actions of pulling an elderly man from a burning building; and

WHEREAS, Captain Blagrove assisted in the design of the Emergency Operations Center at Linda Mar Fire Station and the new Police Facility; and served as Emergency Coordinator for the City of Pacifica for the past seven years which included being staff liaison to the Emergency Preparedness and Safety Commission; and

WHEREAS, the City of Pacifica has been fortunate to have such a dedicated law enforcement officer who has protected the citizens for over 32 years; and

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that the San Mateo County Board of Supervisors commends Captain Mike Blagrove for a job well done and extends congratulations upon the occasion of his retirement, and wishes for him and his family the best in all future endeavors.

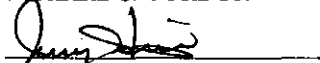
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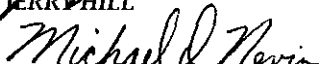
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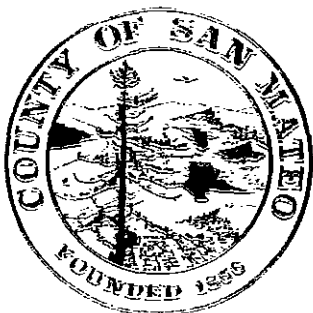

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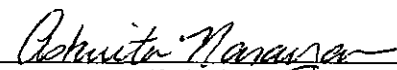

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