

Resolution

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

COMMENDING AND HONORING

WOMEN'S HISTORY MONTH and THE CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY PATROL

WHEREAS, it has come to the attention of the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, that the California Highway Patrol is honoring the 30th Anniversary of Women entering the ranks as officers in the Department; and

WHEREAS, in the year 1974, the California Highway Patrol set a nationwide precedence by becoming the first law enforcement agency in the nation to enlist women to join its ranks as officers; and

WHEREAS, the California Highway Patrol created the Women Traffic Officer Project, a two-year program to determine the ability of women to effectively perform officer duties; and

WHEREAS, women who took part in the program proved to all that they were capable and able to perform those duties; and

WHEREAS, these trailblazers paved the way for women throughout the country, and became role models to other women in seeking employment in non-traditional roles; and.

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of San Mateo, State of California, does hereby commend and recognize the California Highway Patrol for their foresight, leadership, and commitment to the betterment of our community.

Dated: March 19, 2004

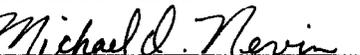
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Attest:


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