

**Before the Board of Supervisors in and for the
County of Monterey, State of California**

Resolution Commending **Deputy Dorothy Thomas**)
upon her retirement from 12 years of public service)
with the Monterey County Sheriff's Office.....)

WHEREAS, Deputy Dorothy Thomas was born San Mateo, California, where her family settled in San Benito County, graduated San Benito High School and received a Bachelor of Science in Justice Studies from San Jose State University; and

WHEREAS, Deputy Dorothy Thomas volunteered as an intern with the Monterey County Sheriff's Office Corrections Bureau where she worked with the Jail Classification Unit and other agencies on numerous cases; and

WHEREAS, Deputy Dorothy Thomas was hired as a Deputy Sheriff recruit on August 8, 2008, received the Oath of Office from Sheriff Mike Kanalakis on September 4, 2009, and served under the terms of Sheriff Mike Kanalakis, Sheriff Scott Miller, and Sheriff Steve Bernal; and

WHEREAS, Deputy Dorothy Thomas, during her twelve years of service with the Monterey County Sheriff's Office, held the position of Corrections Deputy working in several positions within the Corrections Operations Bureau and achieving numerous performance evaluations that reflected above average ratings throughout her career; and

WHEREAS, Deputy Dorothy Thomas received Deputy of the Month for intervening in a domestic violence situation off-duty and received Letters of Commendation from her supervisors for work with mentally ill inmates; and

WHEREAS, Deputy Dorothy Thomas married her husband, Jason Thomas, on May 12, 2012 and had two children, daughter Claire who is now 7 years old and son Jackson who is now 5 years old, and she plans on staying home in her retirement to raise their children and start a photography business; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors for the County of Monterey, on behalf of all residents thereof, acknowledges, commends and gives thanks to **Deputy Dorothy Thomas** for her twelve years of public service to the citizens of Monterey County, as a valued member of the Monterey County Sheriff's Office; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors wishes her success, health, and happiness in all future endeavors and much joy in this well-deserved retirement.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this _____ day of _____, 2021, by the following vote,
to wit:

AYES:

NOES:
ABSENT:

I, Valeria Ralph, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Monterey, State of California, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of an original order of said Board of Supervisors duly made and entered in the minutes thereof of Minute Book _____ for the meeting on _____, 2021.

Dated:

Valerie Ralph, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
County of Monterey, State of California.

By _____
Deputy