

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

Resolution No. 12-352

Adopt Resolution commanding **Sergeant**)
John Pellerin Monterey County Sheriff's Office)
upon his retirement from 28 years of Public Service.....)

WHEREAS, **Sergeant John Pellerin** began his law enforcement career in 1985 with the Monterey County Sheriff's Office; and

WHEREAS, **Sergeant John Pellerin** was born in 1962 and was raised and educated in Salinas, where he attended Palma High School, Hartnell College and later San Jose State University, and Gavilan Police Academy, where he graduated number one academically in his academy class; and

WHEREAS, **Sergeant John Pellerin** came to the Monterey County Sheriff's Office after employment with the Bud of California Corporation and a local business in Salinas; and

WHEREAS, **Sergeant John Pellerin** was sworn in on January 2, 1985 by Sheriff D.B. "Bud" Cook. Over his career he served for five Monterey County Sheriffs: D.B "Bud" Cook, Norm Hicks, Gordon Sonné, Mike Kanalakis and Scott Miller; and

WHEREAS, **Sergeant John Pellerin** performed exceptionally as a Deputy Sheriff, greatly enjoying his role as a member of the Sheriff's Office as evidenced by the many positions he held, Correctional Training Officer, Sheriff's TAC Team, Field Training Officer, Search and Rescue Team Member, Squad Leader of the Mobile Field Force, Patrol Sergeant, Acting Commander; and

WHEREAS, **Sergeant John Pellerin** was promoted to Correctional Training Officer in 1986, Patrol Field Training Officer in 1997, Sergeant in 2005, and retires as the Sergeant in charge of A Team, South County Patrol / Acting Commander of the South County Station; and

WHEREAS, **Sergeant John Pellerin** received an Outstanding Service Award in October of 1999 for his quick and decisive action in saving the life of a distraught female who was attempting suicide on October 28, 1999, to which Sergeant Pellerin was awarded the Deputies Benefit Association's Deputy of the Month; and

WHEREAS, **Sergeant John Pellerin** received an Outstanding Service Award in July of 2008 for his service to the citizens and communities of south Monterey County during the Indians Fire, to which Sergeant Pellerin was awarded the Deputies Benefit Association's Deputy of the Month; and

WHEREAS, **Sergeant John Pellerin**, over his career received numerous commendations from citizens, staff, numerous community organizations, and law enforcement agencies have praised Sergeant Pellerin for his exceptional work, team work, community commitment, and can do attitude.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Monterey on behalf of all people thereof, acknowledges, commends, and thanks **Sergeant John Pellerin**, for his 28 years of exemplary public service to the People of Monterey County, as a valued member of the Monterey County Sheriff's Office.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors wishes **Sergeant John Pellerin** success, health, and happiness in all his future endeavors and joys in this well-deserved retirement.

PASSED AND ADOPTED on this 11th day of December, 2012, upon motion of Supervisor Parker seconded by Supervisor Salinas by the following vote, to-wit:

AYES: Supervisor Armenta, Calcagno, Salinas, Parker, Potter

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

I, Gail T. Borkowski, 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 Supervisors duly made and entered in the minutes thereof of Minute Book 76, for the meeting on December 11, 2012.

Dated: 12/11/12

Gail T. Borkowski, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
County of Monterey, State of California.

By Gail T. Borkowski, Deputy