

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

**Resolution No.:**

Adopt Resolution commending **Mary Elizabeth “Libby” McMullen,**     )  
upon her retirement as Sergeant from the Monterey County Sheriff’s     )  
Department after twenty-five years.....)

**WHEREAS, Mary Elizabeth “Libby” McMullen** began her career with the Monterey County Sheriff’s Office on September 30, 1991 when she was sworn in by Sheriff Norman G. Hicks and was assigned to the Custody Operations Bureau, having graduated from San Jose City College’s Basic Police Academy on July 22, 1986; and

**WHEREAS,** over her twenty-four-and-a-half years career, **Mary Elizabeth “Libby” McMullen** served for five Monterey County Sheriffs: Norman G Hicks, Gordon Sonn , Mike Kanalakis, Scott K. Miller, and Steve Bernal; and

**WHEREAS, Mary Elizabeth “Libby” McMullen** performed admirably in her numerous assignments and was promoted to the rank of Correctional Sergeant on August 16, 1997 by Sheriff Hicks and on November 13, 1999, was assigned to the Court Security Unit as one of two Bailiff Sergeants until January 2005 and again from January 19, 2007 to January 2013 and on August 20, 2013, and she was assigned as the Transportation Unit Sergeant from where she is retiring after approximately three years of service; and

**WHEREAS, Mary Elizabeth “Libby” McMullen** on November 15, 1991 received a memorandum of appreciation from Sheriff Hicks for the assistance she provided to a patrol deputy at the scene of a serious traffic accident and she immediately assumed traffic control duties, and by doing so, relieved the deputy on scene, allowing him to assist the victims and move them and the witnesses away from the downed power lines and her actions were of tremendous help to the patrol deputy on scene and may have saved others from further, more serious injury; and

**WHEREAS,** On April 30, 2004 **Mary Elizabeth “Libby” McMullen** received a letter of commendation for her invaluable assistance she provided to the Office during an inmate disturbance at the jail and her actions, despite not being a member of the SWAT (Special Weapons and Tactics) or CERT (Custody Emergency Response Team) Teams, played a vital role in returning order to the jail and as a result of the combined efforts being exhibited that day, deputies suffered no injuries, while inmate injuries were minimal; and

**WHEREAS,** On March 11, 2005 **Mary Elizabeth “Libby” McMullen** received a memorandum of appreciation from Sheriff Kanalakis for the excellent service she provided the Superior Court which enabled the courts to run smoothly and efficiently, while reducing their overtime costs and her constant supervision and attention to the security needs of the courts had been of tremendous benefit to Superior Court; and

**WHEREAS, Mary Elizabeth “Libby” McMullen** has been an avid runner and has participated in numerous running events such as the annual “Challenge Cup Relay: Baker to Vegas” which attracts thousands of law enforcement personnel from throughout the country, the Santa Cruz to Capitola Wharf to Wharf runs, and other runs while a member of the Sheriff’s Office “Fog Cutters” running team.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Monterey on behalf of all citizens thereof, acknowledges commends and thanks **Sergeant Mary Elizabeth “Libby” McMullen** for her twenty-four-and-a-half years of exemplary public service to the citizens of Monterey County, as a valued member of the Monterey County Sheriff’s Office and wishes her success, health, and happiness in all future endeavors and joy in this well-deserved retirement.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** on this \_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2016, upon motion of Supervisor \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by Supervisor \_\_\_\_\_ by the following vote, to-wit:

AYES:  
NOES:  
ABSENT:

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 of Supervisors duly made and entered in the minutes thereof of Minute Book \_\_\_ for the meeting on \_\_\_\_\_.

Dated:

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

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy