

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

Resolution No.: 14-

Adopt Resolution Commending **Sergeant John Thornburg**)
as the recipient of the Monterey County Sheriff's Office)
Deputy of the Year for 2012.....)

WHEREAS, Sergeant John Thornburg's nomination placed by members of his executive staff led him to be awarded the Monterey County Sheriff's Office, Deputy of the Year for 2012.

WHEREAS, Sergeant John Thornburg was solely assigned to the Training Unit; a Unit formerly staffed by a commander, two sergeants and two clerical staff. Sergeant Thornburg took the position and duties head on. When asked to accomplish something, he was quick to respond, research, and complete that duty. He truly stands above the rest in his work product and ability to handle any issues that arise. He is a problem solver, motivated and consistently enthusiastic; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant John Thornburg increased firearms qualifications, creating quarterly qualifications that are innovative and practical. His efforts have given many in the department a new outlook on training and a battery of new skills; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant John Thornburg changed the course of history for the Monterey County Sheriff's Office by recreating the FTO program. He incorporated long awaited and necessary changes in an effort to give our new deputies the best training that can be offered. These efforts will benefit the sheriff's Office considerably as we are able to retain deputies who are nurtured and supported through a training program that is detailed and inspiring; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his regular duties, **Sergeant John Thornburg** dedicates personal time; he is very active with the South Bay Regional Training Consortium Academies as an instructor. He is passionate about teaching and enjoys instructing new cadets, motivating them about the career they are beginning. Sergeant Thornburg's connections with the Academy have benefited the Sheriff's Office and have led to very positive interactions on many occasions; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors recognizes **Sergeant John Thornburg** as the Monterey County Sheriff's Office Deputy of the Year for 2012, for his knowledge and dedication to his duties, his motivation towards this agency and the completion of his duties; and for the passion with which he works every day.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Monterey County Board of Supervisors and all citizens thereof hereby congratulates **Second Chance Family & Youth Services** on their 25th year anniversary.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this ____ day of _____, 2014, upon motion of Supervisor _____, seconded by Supervisor _____, and carried by the following vote, to-wit:

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 at page ____ of Minute Book _____, on _____.

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

By _____
Deputy