

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING AND COMMENDING

## Captain Mark S. Wyss

Upon his retirement from the San Mateo County Sheriff's Office

WHEREAS, Captain Mark S. Wyss began a distinguished three decade long career with the San Mateo County Sheriff's Office as a Group Supervisor and has since ascended the ranks holding positions in a variety of divisions and units including Correctional Officer in July 1987, Deputy Sheriff in September 1989 and Lieutenant/Commander in January 2005; and

WHEREAS, Captain Mark S. Wyss, having earned the respect of the San Mateo County community and the esteem of his peers in the Sheriff's Office, was promoted to the notable and supervisorial role of Captain in August 2008 and has since managed the Sheriff's Support Services Division, Operations and Investigations Division and having demonstrated regional leadership in emergency communications and multijurisdictional public safety response was selected to command the Homeland Security Division and Area Office of Emergency Services (OES) when Sheriff Greg Munks created the new division in August 2012 and remained in this position until his retirement on March 28, 2015; and

WHEREAS, Captain Mark S. Wyss is a nationally recognized expert in the field of tactical operations, narcotics investigations and law enforcement management having been selected to brief the White House Office of National Drug Policy on drug distribution and members of the U.S. Congress on multi-jurisdictional intelligence systems, received the U.S. Attorney General's Organized Crime Drug Enforcement Task Force Pacific Region Certificate of Appreciation, the Drug Enforcement Agency Certificate of Appreciation by the San Francisco Field Division and maintains a position as Adjunct Instructor for the Institute for Intergovernmental Research Task Force Commander Course; and

WHEREAS, Captain Mark S. Wyss maintains membership in prestigious associations including the California Narcotic Officers Association, Northern California High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area, California Association of Tactical Officers, National Tactical Officers Association, Northern California Regional intelligence Center and the Bay Area Terrorism Working Group; and

WHEREAS, Captain Mark S. Wyss has made significant contributions to the safety and well-being of the residents of the San Mateo County community and law enforcement in the United States as a whole.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of San Mateo County congratulates and commends Captain Mark S. Wyss upon his retirement from the San Mateo County Sheriff's Department. The Board hereby expresses its gratitude and extends sincere wishes to Captain Mark S. Wyss for many more years of health, success and happiness.

Dated: March 28, 2015

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