

*The Board of Supervisors of
Contra Costa County, California*

In the matter of:

Resolution No. 2009/576

RECOGNIZING OFFICER RICHARD GOMEZ UPON HIS RETIREMENT FOR HIS YEARS OF SERVICE WITH CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY PATROL

WHEREAS, the California Highway Patrol recognize the dedication and selfless sacrifices of Officer Richard Gomez who has been a part of a long and noble profession that reflects the highest degree of honor, strength, respect and distinction; and

WHEREAS, throughout our history, members of the California Highway Patrol have proudly donned their uniforms and willingly risked their lives to carry out their duties and serve their communities with tireless effort; and

WHEREAS, knowing full well the unforeseen dangers and challenges they might face each day, as they protect and serve their fellow man with the greatest degree of honor and dignity; and

WHEREAS, California Highway Patrol are citizen-focused, courageous in nature, responding to the needs of individuals and communities; and

WHEREAS, Individuals in this line of work must have good judgment and be able to make important decisions quickly; and

WHEREAS, this occasion marks the 29th year that Officer Richard Gomez has served his state and community; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors recognizes the talents and commitment of Officer Richard Gomez and the positive impact of his work in his many years of service to the California Highway Patrol.

SUSAN A. BONILLA

Chair,
District IV Supervisor

JOHN GIOIA

District I Supervisor

GAYLE B. UILKEMA

District II Supervisor

MARY N. PIEPHO

District III Supervisor

FEDERAL D. GLOVER

District V Supervisor

I hereby certify that this is a true and correct copy of an action taken and entered on the minutes of the Board of Supervisors on the date shown.

ATTESTED: December 15, 2009

David J. Twa,

By: _____, Deputy