

MEMORANDUM
OFFICE OF THE
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF PLACER

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors

FROM: Jim Holmes, Supervisor, District 3

DATE: May 23, 2006

SUBJECT: COMMENDATION – Present a commendation for retired CDF Unit Chief Tony Clarabut as requested by Supervisor Holmes.

ACTION REQUESTED

Present a commendation for retired CDF Unit Chief Tony Clarabut as requested by Supervisor Holmes.

BACKGROUND

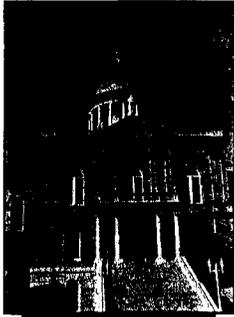
The Board will be presenting a Commendation to honor retired CDF Unit Chief Tony Clarabut for his 32 years of service to the citizens of the State of California and serving four years as Fire Chief for the Placer County Fire Department.

FISCAL IMPACT

None

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COMMENDATION



In the Matter of a Commendation recognizing retired CDF Unit Chief Tony Clarabut for his 32 years of service to the citizens of the State of California and serving four years as Fire Chief for the Placer County Fire Department.

WHEREAS, Tony Clarabut began his CDF career as a Seasonal Firefighter on June 15, 1971 in Mendocino, California at the age of 18; and

WHEREAS, Tony promoted to Unit Chief for Nevada, Yuba, and Placer Counties in March 2001, and at the same time became the Chief of Placer County Fire Department; and

WHEREAS, Tony Clarabut, as the Placer County Fire Chief, managed a complex and expanding department. During his tenure, Station 77 at the Thunder Valley Casino was built, Placer County upgraded many of its fire apparatus, and was successful in obtaining grants for firefighter safety gear and vegetation clearance inspections around homes; and

WHEREAS, Tony Clarabut, as a member of the Placer County Fire Chief's Association, strengthened the relationship and cooperation between CDF and Placer County Fire and other local fire departments; and

WHEREAS, having retired on December 31, 2005, we recognize you, Tony, as a true leader in the fire service.

NOW THEREFORE, on this 23th day of May 2006, the Placer County Board of Supervisors congratulates Tony Clarabut on his successful career and wishes him a long and happy retirement.



Bill Santucci
Chairman