

**MEMORANDUM**  
OFFICE OF THE  
**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS**  
COUNTY OF PLACER

TO: Honorable Board of Supervisors

FROM: Edward N. Bonner, Sheriff  
Mike Boyle, Assistant County Executive Officer

DATE: June 23, 2009

SUBJECT: **RESOLUTION** - Approve a Resolution commending Arthur "Art" R. Thomas for over 21 years of dedicated public service as an employee of the Placer County Sheriff's Department.

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**ACTION REQUESTED**

Approve a Resolution commending Arthur "Art" R. Thomas for over 21 years of dedicated public service as an employee of the Placer County Sheriff's Department.

**BACKGROUND/COMMUNITY BENEFITS**

Art has worked for the Sheriff's Office since 1988, but has had a law enforcement career spanning nearly 30 years.

Art promoted to Sergeant in 1994 and was assigned to various areas within the Sheriff's Department. He served as supervisor for Search and Rescue and assisted with the AIM program designed to provide disadvantaged youth opportunities to enhance and better their lives. His most recent assignment was as supervisor at the Foresthill Service Center.

**FISCAL IMPACT**

None

Resolution No. 2009-

**In the matter of a Resolution  
Commending Arthur "Art" R. Thomas  
for over 21 years of dedicated  
public service as an employee of the  
Placer County Sheriff's Department.**

**WHEREAS**, Arthur "Art" R. Thomas is retiring from the County of Placer Sheriff's Department after serving that agency and the citizens of this County for over 21 years, with a law enforcement career spanning nearly 30 years; and

**WHEREAS**, Art's desire to excel lead to his promotion to Sergeant in 1994. His dedication to the Department and the citizens of the community was exemplary. He served as supervisor for Search and Rescue and assisted with the AIM program designed to provide disadvantaged youth opportunities to enhance and better their lives; and

**WHEREAS**, he has worked in various areas within the Department, including patrol – both Auburn and South Placer, corrections, and most recently as supervisor of the Foresthill Service Center. Art has performed with unfailing professionalism and conscientious attention to duty throughout his career.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Placer, on behalf of the citizens of Placer County, acknowledge with great appreciation, Arthur R. Thomas's exceptional service and wish him well in his retirement and future pursuits.

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