

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF LAKE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Proclamation

Commending Undersheriff Christopher J. Macedo on his 30 plus years of service and on his pending retirement

- Whereas,** Undersheriff Chris Macedo has served the citizens of Lake County for over 30 years as a peace officer, starting his career on October 16, 1989 at the age of 24; and,
- Whereas,** Undersheriff Macedo has honorably served five (5) Lake County Sheriffs, starting with Sheriff Ray Benevedes who made the wise decision to hire him, followed by Sheriffs James Wright, Rodney Mitchell, Francisco Rivero, and Brian Martin; and,
- Whereas,** Undersheriff Macedo has balanced the rigors and challenges of public safety with a lovely and supporting family including his wife Teena and son Wyatt; and,
- Whereas,** Undersheriff Macedo has held the ranks Deputy Sheriff, Sergeant, Lieutenant, Captain, and Undersheriff; and,
- Whereas,** Undersheriff Macedo has served in numerous areas of the Sheriff's Office to include patrol, boat patrol, OES, Search and Rescue, Dispatch, and countless other assignments; and,
- Whereas,** Undersheriff Macedo has earned Basic, Intermediate, Advanced, Supervisory and Management Certificates from the California Commission on Peace Officer Standards and Training; and,
- Whereas,** Undersheriff Macedo is a graduate of the 199th session of the prestigious FBI National Academy; and,
- Whereas,** Undersheriff Macedo has coordinated millions of dollars of funding through homeland security grants, emergency preparedness grants, Byrne Jag Justice Assistance Grants, and a multimillion dollar annual operating budget at the Sheriff's Office; and,
- Whereas,** the operating budget of the Sheriff's Department over the course of Undersheriff Macedo's career cumulatively exceeded a total of \$542 million dollars, which has included the construction and occupation of the Hill Road Correctional Facility, the implementation of numerous technologies, and the ebb and flow of hundreds of employees; and,
- Whereas,** Undersheriff Macedo has played an integral role in participating with, assisting, supporting, leading, and managing countless emergency responses in Lake County to include floods, devastating wildfires, active shooters, criminal investigations, large events including Boardstock and concerts at Konocti Harbor Resort and Spa, major evacuations, a line of duty death, and too many other incidents to include in a single proclamation.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Lake County Board of Supervisors recognizes, acknowledges, thanks, and honors Chris Macedo for his contributions, honorable service, dedication, sacrifice, and passion for serving the community of Lake County over the course of his career.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 9th day of June, 2020.

ATTEST: CAROL J. HUCHINGSON

COUNTY OF LAKE

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: _____
Deputy

Chair, Board of Supervisors