

Humboldt County Board of Supervisors

RESOLUTION

in honor of

GILBERT RESENDEZ

WHEREAS, Gilbert Resendez was hired as a full-time Correctional Officer I on September 8, 1998 by Sheriff Dennis Lewis; and

WHEREAS, On September 19, 1999, Gilbert Resendez was promoted to the rank of Correctional Officer II; and

WHEREAS, On October 19, 2007, Gilbert Resendez was recognized by Sergeant Luna for his countless hours of overtime worked to cover shifts during staffing shortages. To this day, Gilbert continues to work 2-3 days per pay period of overtime to ensure shifts are properly staffed; and

WHEREAS, On March 16, 2013, Gilbert Resendez was recognized by Lt. Flint for his life saving efforts during a suicide attempt; and

WHEREAS, Throughout Gilbert Resendez's distinguished career of over 26 years he has received several commendations and exceptional evaluations for his steadfast approach to working in the challenging field of Corrections; and

WHEREAS, Gilbert Resendez has spent his entire career improving the morale of both his co-workers and those incarcerated by appearing at the jail every year on Easter as the Easter Bunny and on Christmas as Santa Claus providing candy canes to every employee on duty and every incarcerated inmate; and

WHEREAS, Gilbert Resendez has been a valued member of the Sheriff's Office with his hard-working attitude, support for his fellow officers, and his nearly unbeatable chess game; and

WHEREAS, Gilbert Resendez has always approached his career in Law Enforcement with integrity, dedication, and most of all fostering trust and teamwork among his colleagues over the past 26+ years. He has shown the sacrifice and unwavering support to those that he led.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors, and the staff of the Humboldt County Sheriff's Office hereby commend and thank Correctional Deputy II Gilbert Resendez for his dedicated 26+ years of selfless service to the citizens of Humboldt County and the Humboldt County Sheriff's Office. We wish him well in his retirement.



June 24, 2025

Michelle Bushnell, Chair