

in honor of

Sergeant Jamie Barney

WHEREAS, after graduating high school, Jamie Barney enlisted in the United States Marine Corps. He served as a machine gunner and machine gun section leader in the 3rd Battalion, 9th Marines. After his honorable discharge, he used his GI Bill to enroll in courses at College of the Redwoods to further his education; and

WHEREAS, on May 5, 1998, Jamie Barney was hired as a Correctional Officer by the Humboldt County Sheriff's Office; and

WHEREAS, on December 24, 2000, Jamie Barney was promoted to the rank of Senior Correctional Office where he was responsible for line level supervision and training of new correctional officers; and

WHEREAS, on August 29, 2004, Jamie Barney was promoted to the rank of Deputy Sheriff Recruit; and

WHEREAS, on June 19, 2005, Jamie Barney was promoted to the rank of Deputy Sheriff I after successfully completing the College of the Redwoods 96th Basic Law Enforcement Academy; and

WHEREAS, on December 31, 2006, Jamie Barney was promoted to the rank of Deputy Sheriff II; and

WHEREAS, on October 21, 2018, Jamie Barney was promoted to the rank of Sheriff's Sergeant; and

WHERAS, Jamie Barney has held the positions of Special Weapons and Tactics team member, Firearms Instructor, Field Training Officer, Acting Sergeant, Color Guard member, Deputy Coroner, Coroner Division Sergeant, Humboldt Deputy Sheriff's Organization President and Vice President; and

WHERAS, Jamie Barney throughout his career obtained his Intermediate, Advanced, and Supervisory certificates from the California Commission on Peace Officer Standards & Training (P.O.S.T.), was a graduate of the P.O.S.T. Sherman Block Leadership Institute class 506; and

WHERAS, Jamie Barney has received numerous letters of commendation and appreciation related to his professionalism, dedication, and compassion during his law enforcement career; and

WHERAS, Jamie Barney has always approached his over 27-year career in Law Enforcement with passion, honor, a sense of humor, compassion for the community he served, and loyalty to those he served with; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Humboldt County Board of Supervisors, Sheriff William F. Honsal, and the staff of the Humboldt County Sheriff's Office hereby commends and thanks Sergeant Jamie Barney for his dedicated 27 plus years of selfless service to the citizens of Humboldt County and the Humboldt County Sheriff's Office. We wish him well in his retirement.



Dated: June 3, 2025

Michelle Bushnell, Chair