

RESOLUTION  
OF THE  
BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT



WHEREAS, in 1986, Leslie Borges was hired as a Humboldt County Sheriff's Office Records Clerk. During her time as a Records Clerk, she worked in Records, with the Marijuana Eradication Team (MET) and the Detective Bureau; and

WHEREAS, in 1989, following in the footsteps of her father, Deputy Frank Burkhart, Leslie Borges was hired as a full time Deputy Sheriff I in 1989 and attended the College of the Redwoods Police Academy. Due to layoff threats and a hiring freeze, Leslie Borges left the Humboldt County Sheriff's Office, but remained a Reserve Deputy and Mounted Posse Member; and

WHEREAS, in 1996, Leslie Borges was hired as the first female Deputy Marshall in Humboldt County; and

WHEREAS, in 1999, the Humboldt County Marshall's Office was absorbed by the Humboldt County Sheriff's Office, and Leslie Borges was once again a Deputy Sheriff, and worked in the Court Protection Unit for fourteen years; and

WHEREAS, in 2010, Leslie Borges transferred to the Operations Division; and


WHEREAS, in 2013 Leslie Borges was promoted to Corporal, and assisted with the training of at least 17 new Patrol Deputies;

WHEREAS, in 2018 Leslie Borges returned to working as a Patrol Deputy, where she served with distinction until her retirement this month; and

WHEREAS, Leslie Borges has always approached her career in Law Enforcement with passion, enthusiasm, a sense of humor, and most of all compassion for the those she served, and those she served with.

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 Deputy Leslie Borges for her dedicated 32+ years of selfless service to the citizens of Humboldt County and the Humboldt County Sheriff's Office. We all wish her well in retirement.

August 27, 2019

  
Rex Bohn, Chair