

**RESOLUTION NO. 2012-65**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL  
OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE HONORING  
POLICE CAPTAIN  
BRADLEY THOMAS WILSON  
UPON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE CITY  
AFTER TWENTY-SEVEN YEARS OF SERVICE**

**WHEREAS,** Brad Wilson began his career with the City of Torrance as a Police Officer on December 20, 1984. He was promoted to Sergeant on September 15, 1996; to Lieutenant on August 25, 2002; and to Captain on October 29, 2006; and

**WHEREAS,** Brad has served in various assignments within the Police Department, including Patrol as an Officer, member of the SWAT Team and the Metro Detail, Field Training Officer, Field Sergeant, Watch Commander and Bureau Commander; Traffic Division; Vice and Narcotics Section as a Narcotics Investigator and a member of the Crime Impact Team; Personnel Division as Sergeant and Lieutenant; Detective Division as Sergeant of the Youth Services Section; Chief's Adjutant; and as Bureau Commander of Support Services Bureau and the Special Operations Bureau; and

**WHEREAS,** Brad was considered an outstanding employee and the model of a true professional Police Officer. He led by example with his strong sense of mission and "can do" attitude. He always expected the best from himself and his subordinates. His dedication to the Department and commitment to mentoring future officers has earned him the respect of his peers, subordinates and supervisors; and

**WHEREAS,** Brad has received numerous letters of commendation from citizens, local business owners, other agencies, Torrance Unified School District, Department of Justice, Los Angeles District Attorney's Office, Department of Children's Services, and South Bay Special Olympics regarding his skill, compassion and willingness to share his knowledge which helped emphasize the teamwork between the Department and our community; and

**WHEREAS,** Brad has provided 27 years of dedicated service to the City of Torrance and has unselfishly used his many skills for the benefit of the Police Department and the citizens of Torrance.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the City Council of the City of Torrance, California, does hereby commend, honor, and congratulate

**BRADLEY WILSON**

for his dedication, professionalism, and contributions to the City of Torrance while in our employ; and, be it further resolved, that Brad be wished a full and rewarding life in his retirement years.

**INTRODUCED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED** this 14<sup>th</sup> day of August 2012.

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Mayor Frank Scotto

APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
JOHN L. FELLOWS III, City Attorney

ATTEST:

by \_\_\_\_\_  
Patrick Q. Sullivan  
Assistant City Attorney

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Sue Herbers, CMC  
City Clerk