

RESOLUTION NO. 2007-113

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL
 OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE HONORING
 POLICE LIEUTENANT
 TIMOTHY M. HILLIS
 UPON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE CITY
 AFTER TWENTY-SEVEN YEARS OF SERVICE**

WHEREAS, Timothy Hillis began his career with the City of Torrance as a Police Officer on December 6, 1980; was promoted to Sergeant on May 31, 1989; and to Lieutenant on May 24, 1998; and

WHEREAS, Timothy has served in various assignments within the Police Department, including Patrol as an Officer, Field Sergeant and Watch Commander; Traffic, Detective Division as the Economic Crimes Sergeant, CSI Detail, Services Division, Research and Training; and

WHEREAS, Timothy was considered an outstanding employee who always expected the best of himself and others. He was highly motivated, thorough, and had great analytical skills. As a supervisor he was always considered approachable by the officers, a good mentor and manager; and

WHEREAS, while in the CSI Detail, Timothy improved their photographic and latent print capabilities that will benefit the Department for years to come. His excellent inter-personal skills made his time as the Special Events Coordinator highly successful. He drafted and implemented a training matrix that will identify and track the training needs of future Department employees; and

WHEREAS, Timothy has received numerous letters of commendation from citizens, schools and other agencies regarding his professionalism, compassion and willingness to share his knowledge which helped emphasize the teamwork between the Department and our community; and

WHEREAS, Timothy 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 Police Lieutenant

TIMOTHY M. HILLIS

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

INTRODUCED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 11th day of December 2007.

Mayor Frank Scotto

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
JOHN FELLOWS III, City Attorney

ATTEST:

by _____
Ronald T. Pohl, Assistant City Attorney

Sue Herbers, City Clerk