

RESOLUTION NO. 2008-87

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE HONORING
GENOVEVA “GENIE” PALANCA
UPON HER RETIREMENT FROM THE CITY
AFTER TWENTY-THREE YEARS OF SERVICE**

WHEREAS, Genoveva “Genie” Palanca began her career with the City of Torrance as a Typist Clerk in the Planning Department (now Community Development) on January 14, 1985. Due to her hard work and dedication, Genie was promoted to Senior Typist Clerk on February 10, 1986, and to Secretary on September 26, 1990. From December 31, 1991 to June 29, 1992, Genie served as Acting Administrative Secretary to the Planning Director; and

WHEREAS, during her long tenure with the department, Genie provided outstanding secretarial support to many divisions, including the Redevelopment Agency, Development Review, Transportation Planning, Comprehensive Planning, and Housing Office. Genie conducts herself in the utmost professional manner, thereby earning the respect of her colleagues and setting a good example for others to follow; and

WHEREAS, Genie always displayed a pleasant demeanor and welcomed visitors and staff with a cheerful smile and greeting, even on the busiest of days; and

WHEREAS, Genie exhibited great generosity of spirit by providing Filipino treats and flowers from her garden to her colleagues on a regular basis; and

WHEREAS, Genie has distinguished herself as an excellent Secretary, a supportive co-worker, and a good friend during 23 years of devoted service to the City and citizens of Torrance.

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

GENOVEVA “GENIE” PALANCA

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

INTRODUCED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 24th day of June 2008.

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
JOHN FELLOWS III, City Attorney

by _____
Ronald T. Pohl, Assistant City Attorney

Mayor Frank Scotto

ATTEST:

Sue Herbers, City Clerk

