

RESOLUTION NO. 2008-94

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE HONORING
POLICE LIEUTENANT MICHAEL F. PAOLOZZI
UPON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE CITY
AFTER THIRTY-THREE YEARS OF SERVICE**

WHEREAS, Michael Paolozzi began his career with the City of Torrance as a Police Officer on October 24, 1974. He was promoted to Sergeant on July 8, 1984, and to Lieutenant on May 1, 1994; and

WHEREAS, Mike served in various assignments within the Police Department, including Patrol as an Officer, Field Sergeant and Watch Commander; CSI; Detective Division as Sergeant of Crimes Property; and later as the Lieutenant in Research and Training, and Communications; and

WHEREAS, Lt. Paolozzi's knowledge of the job and ability to find solutions to problems made him an outstanding employee. He willingly advised and counseled younger officers, allowing him to share his management and leadership skills which will have a positive impact on the Department for years to come. He assisted with updating and improving computer programs and managed the Department's smooth transition through Y2K; and

WHEREAS, Mike received numerous letters of commendation from citizens extolling his compassion and caring, thanks from Torrance officers for his assistance in their development, and from other agencies regarding his skill and willingness to share his knowledge, which helped emphasize the teamwork between the Police Department and our community; and

WHEREAS, Lt. Paolozzi provided 33 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

MICHAEL F. PAOLOZZI

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

INTRODUCED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 15th day of July 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

