

RESOLUTION NO. 2008-132

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL
OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE HONORING
POLICE SERGEANT DAVID ALLEN DICK
UPON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE CITY
AFTER TWENTY-EIGHT YEARS OF SERVICE**

WHEREAS, David Dick began his career with the City of Torrance as a Police Officer on July 27, 1980, and was promoted to Sergeant on November 9, 1997; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant Dick served in various assignments within the Police Department, including Patrol as an Officer, Field Training Officer, and Field Sergeant; Vice and Narcotics; Property Room Sergeant; Detectives in Crimes Property; and Communications; and

WHEREAS, David was considered an outstanding employee who never hesitated to help mentor and motivate new officers. He was the case agent for one of the Department's most successful cases in its history; and

WHEREAS, as a SWAT Team Member, David would use his off hours to maintain his excellence. He was a motivating "TAC" Officer at the Orange County Sheriff's Academy; was selected by POST to participate in the Incident Supervision Series; and re-established the South Bay Burglary Meetings, which have become a good law enforcement communication tool; and

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

WHEREAS, Sergeant Dick has provided 28 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 Sergeant

DAVID ALLEN DICK

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

INTRODUCED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 23rd day of December 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

