

RESOLUTION NO. 2006-39

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF TORRANCE EXPRESSING APPRECIATION TO
LIEUTENANT GENERAL CHARLES C. CAMPBELL
OF THE UNITED STATES ARMY
FOR SERVING AS GRAND MARSHAL OF THE
47TH ANNUAL ARMED FORCES DAY PARADE AND OBSERVANCE**

- WHEREAS,** for 46 consecutive years, the City of Torrance has sponsored an Armed Forces Day Parade; and
- WHEREAS,** the 47th Annual Armed Forces Day Observance will begin on May 19, with military exhibits at Del Amo Fashion Center and the parade taking place on May 20, 2006 in the City of Torrance; and
- WHEREAS,** each year the Armed Forces Day Celebration gives special recognition to a branch of the military service, and this year the City salutes the United States Army and is honored to have Lieutenant General Charles C. Campbell serve as Grand Marshal of the parade; and
- WHEREAS,** Lieutenant General Charles C. Campbell is the Deputy Commanding General/Chief of Staff, US Army Forces Command, at Fort McPherson, Georgia; and
- WHEREAS,** Lieutenant General Campbell received commission through ROTC and his Bachelor's degree in History at Louisiana State University, a Master's in Military Art and Science from the United States Army Command and General Staff College, attended various military schools, culminating in his graduation from the Army War College in 1991; and
- WHEREAS,** Lieutenant General Campbell has served in the United States Army with distinction for over 35 years with Commands including Combat Support Company in the 2d Armored Division, Fort Hood, Texas; 3d Armored Division, United States Army Europe; Brigade Commander in the 2d Infantry Division, Eighth United States Army, Korea, and the 7th Infantry Division at Fort Carson, Colorado; and
- WHEREAS,** Lieutenant General Campbell began his career serving as an Instructor at the Infantry Training Command (Provisional), in Fort Ord, California, Forces Armee' National Khmere Training Command, Phouc Tuy Training Battalion in Vietnam, advancing to become Executive Officer and Commander, A-Detachment; and

WHEREAS, among Lieutenant General Campbell's personal awards are the Distinguished Service Medal, Legion of Merit (with 3 Oak Leaf Clusters), Bronze Star Medal, Meritorious Service Medal (with 5 Oak Leaf Clusters), Army Commendation Medal (with Oak Leaf Cluster), Army Achievement Medal, Special Forces Tab, and the Parachutist Badge.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council, on behalf of its members and the citizens of Torrance, California, expresses its appreciation to

LIEUTENANT GENERAL CHARLES C. CAMPBELL

who, by his presence, contributes honor and prestige to this annual patriotic event in the City of Torrance.

INTRODUCED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 16th day of May 2006.

Mayor Dan Walker

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
JOHN FELLOWS III, City Attorney

ATTEST:

by _____
Ronald T. Pohl, Assistant City Attorney

Sue Herbers, City Clerk