RESOLUTION NO. 2009-115

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE HONORING

POLICE OFFICER

TERRY WAYNE TOKLE

UPON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE CITY AFTER TWENTY-SIX YEARS OF SERVICE

WHEREAS, Terry Tokle began his career with the City of Torrance as a Police Officer on January 27, 1983; and

WHEREAS, Terry served in various assignments within the Police Department, including Patrol as an Officer and in the CSI Detail; Detective Division in the Crimes Property/Auto Theft Section; Traffic as a Motor Officer; and Accident Investigation Follow-up and Education; and

WHEREAS, Officer Tokle was considered an outstanding employee who led by example. As a senior member in Detectives and the Traffic Division, his years of experience were invaluable in the training and mentoring of newer officers; and

WHEREAS, as a Defensive Tactics Instructor, Weaponless Defense Instructor, and Report Writing Instructor, Terry was a highly motivated teacher. He put extensive time and effort into assuring the success of training classes used by the Department; and

WHEREAS, Officer Tokle has received numerous letters of commendation from citizens, the District Attorney's Office 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, Terry provided 26 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

TERRY WAYNE TOKLE

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

INTRODUCED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED this 24TH day of November 2009.

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Mayor Frank Scotto

APPROVED AS TO FORM:
JOHN FELLOWS III, City Attorney

ATTEST:

by _____
Patrick Q. Sullivan, Assistant City Attorney

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Sue Herbers, City Clerk