

**RESOLUTION NO. 2011-84**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL  
OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE HONORING  
*DANIEL McDERMOTT CULLEN*  
UPON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE CITY  
AFTER THIRTY-ONE YEARS OF SERVICE**

**WHEREAS,** Dan was hired by the City of Torrance on November 5, 1979 as a Refuse Truck Operator and always completed his routes on schedule and willingly helped others when asked; and

**WHEREAS,** on January 1, 1991, Dan became a Semi-Skilled Laborer with the Transportation Department and assisted the Traffic Painters during the painting of crosswalks, curbs and legends. He responded as needed during emergency situations and was on move-up many times to the Traffic Painter position; and

**WHEREAS,** as a self-motivated worker, Dan proved that he could handle every work assignment with minimal or no supervision. He also gained professional training and certification in work zone safety and signs and markings from the International Municipal Signal Association; and

**WHEREAS,** Dan was promoted to Traffic Painter on August 2, 1998 within the Street Services Department. During his first month in this position, Dan received a Spot Award for his expedient work at the Charles H. Wilson Park parking lot; and

**WHEREAS,** during the course of his employment with the City of Torrance, Dan received numerous commendations, kudos and letters of appreciation for his fine work, professionalism and timely personal response in regard to each aspect of his duties. He was well received and appreciated by everyone he encountered.

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

***DANIEL McDERMOTT CULLEN***

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

**INTRODUCED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED** this 16th day of August 2011.

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Mayor Frank Scotto

APPROVED AS TO FORM:  
JOHN L. FELLOWS III, City Attorney

ATTEST:

by \_\_\_\_\_  
Patrick Q. Sullivan  
Assistant City Attorney

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Sue Herbers, CMC  
City Clerk