Summary Title: Retirement Proclamation for William Warrior

Title: Proclamation of the Council of the City of Palo Alto Honoring William Warrior Upon his Retirement

From: City Manager

Lead Department: Police

Attachments:
- Attachment A Honoring William Warrior upon his Retirement
HONORING WILLIAM WARRIOR UPON HIS RETIREMENT

WHEREAS, William Warrior served the City of Palo Alto and its citizens as a member of the Palo Alto Police Department for 40 years; and

WHEREAS, William Warrior became an Animal Control Officer in 1979, and since then, has rescued countless numbers of stray, sick, and injured domestic and wild animals within Palo Alto, Los Altos, and Los Altos Hills; and

WHEREAS, ACO Warrior has served the animals and citizens of Palo Alto by handling numerous phone inquiries, investigating animal bites and reports of neglect, while educating and relaying important information to both animal owners and concerned citizens; and

WHEREAS, ACO Warrior provided routine 24hr support to the Patrol and Traffic Divisions when assistance with an animal was needed, and provided the same level of service to allied law enforcement agencies; and

WHEREAS, ACO Warrior provided traffic control for presidential visits, and marched in the beloved May Fete Parade and Special Olympic Torch run in Palo Alto; and

WHEREAS, William Warrior passed along his vast knowledge of Palo Alto and its history, particularly relating to Animal Services, to his coworkers, other city employees, and the public; and

WHEREAS, ACO Warrior has pursued his 40-year career with the City of Palo Alto with dedication, a can-do attitude, energy and exemplary customer service to the citizens he served; and

WHEREAS, ACO Warrior supported his coworkers with a high degree of professionalism and respect that is in alignment with the mission of the Department; and

WHEREAS, William Warrior deserves a long and happy retirement for all his years of dedicated service.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Adrian Fine, Mayor of the City of Palo Alto on behalf of the entire City Council do hereby commend the outstanding public service of William Warrior and records its appreciation, as well as the appreciation of citizens of this community, upon his retirement.

PRESENTED: May 4, 2020

Adrian Fine
Mayor