RECOMMENDED ACTION AND JUSTIFICATION: (Policy Item: Yes ___ No X )

Resolutions recognizing Forrest Ward, Jr., and Kenneth Sebesta for their services to the community upon their retirement from the California Highway Patrol.

Resolutions will be prepared for presentation at a special event.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:

The Board recognizes those who have provided service to the community.

LIST ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

1) Approve
2) Provide alternative direction

COSTS:

(x) Not Applicable
A. Budgeted current FY $____________
B. Total anticipated costs $____________
C. Required additional funding $____________
D. Internal transfers $____________

SOURCE:

( ) 4/5ths Vote Required
A. Unanticipated revenues $____________
B. Reserve for contingencies $____________
C. Source description: _____________________________
Balance in Reserve for Contingencies, if approved: $____________

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS:

List the attachments and number the pages consecutively:

CLERK'S USE ONLY:

Res. No: _____________ Ord. No: _____________
Vote - Ayes: _____________ Nees: _____________
Absent: _____________
Approved: ( ) Denied: ( )
( ) Minute Order Attached ( ) No Action Necessary

The foregoing instrument is a correct copy of the original on file in this office.

Date: ____________________________

ATTEST: MARGIE WILLIAMS, Clerk of the Board
County of Mariposa, State of California
By: ____________________________
Deputy

COUNTY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICER'S RECOMMENDATION:

This item on agenda as:

Recommended: ____________________________
Not Recommended: ____________________________
For Policy Determination: ____________________________
Submitted with Comment: ____________________________
Returned for Further Action: ____________________________

Comment: ____________________________

C.A.O. Initials: ____________________________
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4/5ths Vote Required: Yes( ) No(x)
Policy Item: Yes( ) No(x) (For Action Agenda of )
Action Required by: 3/20 (Date) Due to: Retirement Party

Consent Agenda: XX
Information:
Attention:
Timed:

STAFF REVIEW REQUIRED:

Yes () No (x) County Counsel
Yes () No (x) Auditor
Yes () No (x) Personnel
Yes () No (x) Data Processing
Yes () No (x) Public Works/Facilities
Yes () No (x) Other

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS TO CLERK:

Rush! Need to have signed documents by:
Legal publication required. (This is responsibility of submitting department.)
Other (i.e., need cert. resolutions, and/or signed contracts)
You want us to send copy of Action to:

Res. to Supv. Stewart for presentation

CLERK'S USE ONLY:
RECEIVED:

Agenda Item No.: CA-6
Consent Agenda
Information
Attention
Timed at:

Trans. Form Revised 11/00
MARIPOSA COUNTY RESOLUTION NUMBER 01-

A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING FORREST WARD, JR. FOR HIS SERVICE TO THE COUNTY OF MARIPOSA

WHEREAS, FORREST WARD, JR. began his career on September 21, 1970 with the California Highway Patrol. In January of 1971 he was assigned to South Los Angeles, where he served for three years, after which he served for five years in Ventura County, and then in Los Banos for four years before coming to Mariposa County where he has served since September of 1983; and

WHEREAS, FORREST served in the United States Air Force from 1964 to 1968, and worked at the Texaco gas station in Mariposa. He worked for the Merced Candy & Tobacco Company before starting with the California Highway Patrol; and

WHEREAS, FORREST worked a double 11-44 accident with out of County follow-up which is today still remembered by his Supervisor with admiration; and

WHEREAS, FORREST was the Officer who discovered that the Mustangs did not work well in the snow and was the Mariposa snow chain expert, always ready to assist fellow Officers and was well liked by the auto tech, who always gave him the newer cars; and

WHEREAS, FORREST served as the Bus Officer and Weapons Officer; and

WHEREAS, FORREST has been married to his wife Judy for 30 years who said he is the most honorable man she has ever met; and

WHEREAS, FORREST has raised a son, Steven in Mariposa who recently graduated from the Fire and Paramedic CDF Academy and he and his wife Teina have 2 children, Carmen, age 4 and Ryan, 18 months with a baby girl due in May; and

WHEREAS, FORREST has enjoyed his hobby of golf and has purchased a new motor home for his retirement.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of Mariposa County, a political subdivision of the State of California, hereby recognizes FORREST WARD, JR. for his service to the County and citizens of Mariposa, and he is warmly wished a long and happy retirement.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Mariposa County this 20th day of March, 2001, by unanimous vote.

PATTI A. REILLY, District I Supervisor

GARRY R. PARKER, District IV Supervisor

DOUG BALMAIN, District II Supervisor

BOB PICKARD, District V Supervisor

ROBERT C. STEWART, District III Supervisor