RESOLUTION - ACTION REQUESTED 2012-608

MEETING: December 18, 2012

TO: The Board of Supervisors

FROM: Janet Bibby, District III Supervisor

RE: Recognize Supervisor Jim Allen

RECOMMENDATION AND JUSTIFICATION:

Presentation of Tile Plaque and Resolution to Supervisor Jim Allen for Four Years of Outstanding Service to Mariposa County.

BACKGROUND AND HISTORY OF BOARD ACTIONS:

The Board recognizes Supervisors as they leave office.

ALTERNATIVES AND CONSEQUENCES OF NEGATIVE ACTION:

FINANCIAL IMPACT:
No financial impact

CAO RECOMMENDATION
Requested Action Recommended

RESULT: ADOPTED [UNANIMOUS]
MOVER: Lyle Turpin, District II Supervisor
SECONDER: Lee Stetson, District I Supervisor
AYES: Stetson, Turpin, Bibby, Cann, Allen
MARIPosa COUNTY RESOLUTION NUMBER 12-608

A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING JIM ALLEN
FOR HIS OUTSTANDING SERVICE TO THE COUNTY OF MARIPosa

WHEREAS, JIM ALLEN began his career in law enforcement with the Mariposa County Sheriff’s Department in May 1976 as a Reserve Deputy Sheriff, became a fulltime employee as a Jail Officer/Dispatcher in July 1977, served as a Deputy Sheriff/Coroner as of December 1979, was appointed Sheriff/Coroner by the Board of Supervisors in May 2003 and in June 2006 was elected as Sheriff/Coroner/Public Administrator retiring in 2007; and

WHEREAS, JIM was elected to the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors representing District V in November of 2008, took office in January 2009, and served as Chairman in 2011; and

WHEREAS, JIM readily served the County on the following committees: Fish Camp Community Planning Advisory Council, Wawona Appeals Board, Wawona Town Planning Advisory Committee, Juvenile Justice Coordinating Council, Law Library Trustees, and In Home Supportive Services (IHSS); and

WHEREAS, JIM served the County on the following agencies/Board of Directors: Area 12 Agency on Aging Joint Powers Authority Governing Board, California State Association of Counties, County Medical Services Program Governing Board, Regional Advisory Board, San Joaquin Valley Regional Association of California Counties, and Mountain Valley Emergency Medical Services Agency as Chair; and

WHEREAS, JIM was involved on the following County projects: Yosemite West Community Plan, Wawona Specific Plan, Catheys Valley Community Plan, Silver TIP Resort project amended site plan application, construction of the new Human Services facility, acquisition of new fire engines and water tenders, funding and construction of four new fire stations, obtaining a Fixed Base Operator to oversee the Mariposa/Yosemite Airport, Airport improvement projects, fuel load reduction projects, road maintenance projects, Agri-nature and Agri-tourism policy, Williamson Act policy update, historical parcel review, Tenaya Lodge wastewater treatment facility approval, Mariposa Creek Parkway project, and the implementation of a paperless agenda management system; and

WHEREAS, JIM helped contend with the impacts of the Motor Fire in El Portal in 2011, and damages associated with the rains in late December 2010, including Ben Hur Road; and

WHEREAS, JIM serves on the Mariposa County High School Student Loan Association, JIM and his wife Lee Ann were the Grand Marshall’s of the Butterfly Festival Parade in 2012, and they have offered their support attending many community benefits and events; and

WHEREAS, JIM will “no doubt” finally settle down and actually retire this time and enjoy his time with his wife Lee Ann, and daughters, Randa and Kristina.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors, a political subdivision of the State of California, hereby recognizes, congratulates and thanks JIM ALLEN for his dedication and service to Mariposa County.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Mariposa County Board of Supervisors this 18th day of December, 2012 by unanimous vote.

LEE STETSON, District I
LYLE TURPIN, District II

JANET BIBBY, District III
KEVIN CANN, District IV