

A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING TOM HOSKINS
FOR HIS OUTSTANDING SERVICE AS
CAPTAIN OF THE HUNTERS VALLEY FIRE STATION 36

WHEREAS, TOM HOSKINS has been a member of the Mariposa County Fire Department since 1992;
and

WHEREAS, TOM served as a firefighter for two years before becoming the Captain in Hunters Valley
in which capacity he has served for the last eight years; and

WHEREAS, TOM was known as "The Lone Ranger" fighting fires single-handedly before his recruits
came on board and has been known to fly an Ultra Light plane over and survey burned areas; and

WHEREAS, TOM assisted the Auxiliary in finishing the Fire House, building a storage shed and
acquiring a new engine for Hunters Valley Fire Station; and

WHEREAS, TOM has provided leadership during the series of fires that burned in Hunters Valley and
surrounding areas and was instrumental in saving a number of structures during the 1996 fire in Hunters
Valley; and

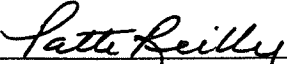
WHEREAS, TOM spearheaded the effort to acquire an automatic electronic defibrillator for his
community and surrounding communities; and

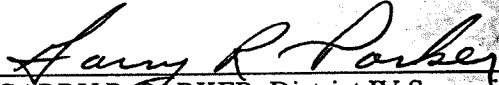
WHEREAS, TOM served as the President of the Mariposa County Fire Chiefs Association from
December 1999 to March 2000 and served as committee chair on numerous issues affecting the service
delivery by the department; and

WHEREAS, TOM is the best "bean scooper," and table cleaner at the Annual Auxiliary Hunters Valley
Rib Dinner and has been married to his lovely wife, Corey for the last seven years.


NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of Mariposa County, a
political subdivision of the State of California, hereby recognizes and commends TOM HOSKINS for
his outstanding service to Mariposa County.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Mariposa County this 24th day of July, 2001,
by unanimous vote.


PATTI REILLY, District I Supervisor


GARRY R. PARKER, District IV Supervisor


DOUG BALMAIN, District II Supervisor


BOB PICKARD, District V Supervisor


BOB STEWART, District III Supervisor

