BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF AMADOR, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE MATTER OF:

RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND)	RESOLUTION NO. 12-110
HONORING JOHN STEPHEN HERMANSON)	
UPON HIS RESIGNATION FROM AMADOR)	
COUNTY TO BECOME AMADOR COUNTY)	
SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE)	

WHEREAS, John Stephen "Steve" Hermanson was born on July 5, 1964 to Everett and Alice Hermanson in Fontana, California; and

WHEREAS, in April 1979 Steve was in a motorcycle accident, and doctors did not expect him to walk again. Steve persevered in rehabilitation and proved the medical field wrong. However, the accident left him with his left arm paralyzed; and

WHEREAS, Steve attended and graduated in 1982 from Yucaipa High School in Yucaipa, California; and

WHEREAS, in 1986 Steve graduated from Westmont College and proceeded onto The University of LaVerne College of Law and graduated in 1992 with a Juris Doctor Degree; and

WHEREAS, in July of 1992 Steve passed the California State Bar; and

WHEREAS, in October of 1992 Steve traveled to Kona, Hawaii to participate in the Ironman Triathlon Championship which he completed in 11 hours and 14 minutes; and

WHEREAS, in 1995 Steve was a member of the United States Disabled Cycling Team and was asked to represent the United States of America in the 1996 Para Olympic Games which were held in Atlanta, Georgia.

WHEREAS, in 1999 Steve married his beautiful wife, Kristina, in Redlands, California, and together they are the proud parents of two sons; and

WHEREAS, Steve has served as a Consumer Rights Advocate for the Inland Regional Center; has worked for ten years as a private attorney in civil law, personal injury and probate, and

WHEREAS, on July 2, 2007, Steve was hired as Deputy District Attorney and in that capacity has worked as the lead felony prosecutor in many challenging cases. One such case was a homicide in People v. Kenneth Zimmerman; and

WHEREAS, on June 5, 2012, Steve was elected as judge for Amador County Superior Court in Jackson, California; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Amador, State of California, that said Board does hereby recognize John Stephen "Steve" Hermanson for his selfless dedication to the District Attorney's Office, local law enforcement and the citizens of Amador County, and congratulate his future endeavor in serving as an Amador County Superior Court Judge.

(RESOLUTION NO. 12-110) (11/13/12)

The foregoing resolution was duly passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Amador at a regular meeting thereof, held on the 13th day of November 2012, by the following vote:

AYES:

Louis D. Boitano, Richard M. Forster, Brian Oneto, John Plasse and Theodore F.

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NOES:

None

ABSENT:

None

Chairman, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

JENNIFER BURNS, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, Amador County, California

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(RESOLUTION NO. 12-110)