

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

IN THE MATTER OF:

RESOLUTION HONORING KATHERYN)	RESOLUTION NO. 10-098
MITCHELL UPON HER RETIREMENT)	
FROM THE COUNTY OF AMADOR)	

WHEREAS, Katheryn Mitchell graduated from Napa High School in Napa, California and received her Associate of Arts Degree with honors, from Vista Community College in Berkeley, California. In addition to her education, she has received certificates in Legal Secretarial Studies, in the following areas: Civil Litigation, Probate, Family Law, and Corporate and Criminal Law; and

WHEREAS, Kathy married Del Mitchell in 1989, and their unity caused the earth to shake. During that time, Kathy was working for the City of Oakland as a Supervising Legal Secretary. On October 17, 1989 at 5:04 PM, Kathy was getting ready to leave the fourth floor of City Hall, the first high-rise government office in the United States, when the earthquake hit. Kathy moved staff to safety as the 90 foot clock tower racked and shifted at its base resulting in an offset of 1 inch. Weeks later she was typing the City's State of Emergency on an old typewriter as the computers were gone. Two years later, she was put in the City's command center to answer phones and speak to the public during the Oakland Hills Fire. Kathy undoubtedly has the ability to take control during disasters; and

WHEREAS, Prior to her employment with Amador County, Kathy's career history includes Legal Secretary to two private law firms and the City of Oakland, Executive Assistant to the City Manager of San Leandro, and Office Manager for the United States Courts, U.S. Probation Office, Northern District of California; and

WHEREAS, Kathy has three children, three step-children and many wonderful grandchildren. She has a passion for roses, loves her dogs, and is such a loving daughter to her sweet parents in the Napa area. In her spare time she likes to read, look through old photographs and watch Twilight movies and is quite possibly Edward's biggest fan; and

WHEREAS, Kathy moved to Pine Grove in June of 2001 and was hired on September 17, 2001 as an Office Assistance III for Amador County Alcohol and Drug Services. On December 1, 2002, she was promoted to Administrative Secretary. On October 1, 2006, Kathy became the Department Secretary for the Behavioral Health Department where she rendered nine years of faithful and dedicated service to the County of Amador; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Amador, State of California, which said Board does hereby adopt this resolution commending Katheryn Mitchell for her many years of service to the people of the County of Amador.

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 29th day of June 2010, by the following vote:

AYES: John Plasse, Richard M. Forster, Theodore F. Novelli, Louis D. Boitano,
Brian Oneto

NOES: None

ABSENT: None



Chairman, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

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



Deputy