

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

IN THE MATTER OF:

RESOLUTION HONORING JOHN FOOSUM AS THE PEACE OFFICER OF THE YEAR FOR 2024) RESOLUTION NO. 24-133
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WHEREAS, John FooSum was born on August 6, 1970, to Glenn and Billie FooSum in Klamath Falls, OR; and

WHEREAS, John lived in Chico, California until the age of 18. He graduated from Pleasant Valley High School and attended American River Junior College. Upon graduating, he then attended one year at Azusa Pacific University on a baseball scholarship, and

WHEREAS, John met his wife while attending Junior College and has been married to his best friend Lisa Canale-FooSum for 27 years; and

WHEREAS, John and Lisa are the proud parents, of their daughter Jasmine Alohilani FooSum, who was born in Sacramento, CA, raised in the City of Ione, and graduated from Amador High School in 2021. Jasmine earned an Associate's degree from Santa Barbara Community College and is currently attending the University of Santa Barbara. She is on track to graduate in June of 2025 and has made it her goal after she graduates, to continue with her education by attending graduate school, and

WHEREAS, John enjoys spending time with his friends and family in Ione. John also enjoys, barbecuing, hunting and golfing; and

WHEREAS, John began his employment with the Amador County Sheriff's Office as a Deputy in 2008 and was assigned to the Patrol Division. During his career with the Sheriff's Office, John served as a SWAT Operator, Canine Handler, and Field Training Officer. John ended his employment with the Sheriff's Office and was hired as an Amador County District Attorney Investigator in January of 2017. John's first assignment was with the Amador County Combined Narcotics Enforcement Team. After a lengthy deployment with ACCNET, John was re-assigned in 2022 as a General Crimes Investigator; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Amador, State of California that said Board does hereby adopt this resolution commending John FooSum, who has been chosen as Amador County Peace Officer of the Year for 2024.

The foregoing resolution was duly passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors in the County of Amador at a regular meeting thereof, held on the 8th day of October, 2024, by the following vote:

AYES: Brian Oneto, Patrick Crew, Frank Axe, Richard Forster, Jeff Brown
NOES: None
ABSENT: None



Brian Oneto, Chairman, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

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


