

**A RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING TOM ARCHER FOR HIS SERVICES TO
THE COUNTY OF MARIPOSA AS HUMAN SERVICES DIRECTOR**

WHEREAS, TOM ARCHER has devoted countless hours serving the people of Mariposa County over the past twelve years; and

WHEREAS, TOM served as the Department of Human Services Director which included serving concurrently as the Public Guardian/Conservator; County Mental Health Director; Executive Director of the Calaveras-Mariposa Community Action Agency; Executive Director of the Mariposa County Housing Authority; Administrator of County Alcohol and Drug Services; Director of CDBG funded housing rehabilitation programs; and Director for additional programs provided through these various Department components; and

WHEREAS, under TOM'S quiet, effective management, accomplishments include a substantial 68% reduction in County General Fund contributions for Department operation costs; modernization and automation of Department programs and business/administrative systems; implementation of contemporary communication and transportation systems for increased efficiencies and effective use of available resources; implementation of a highly successful public assistance reform program with emphasis on employment, individual responsibility and self-sufficiency; and development of an exemplary Social Services Delivery System which has been cited as a model system; and

WHEREAS, TOM'S prior achievements include service as a City Council Member and Mayor Pro Tem of the City of Merced; service on the Board of the Merced County Association of Governments and the Executive Committee of the League of California Cities; served on several Statewide Committees and Task Forces to benefit the Community; administered private Community Service Agencies and had notable education achievements including earning a BA degree with honors from California State University Stanislaus serving as Associated Student President; a Master's degree from the University of California Berkeley; a Master's Degree in Social Work Administration from West Virginia University of California Davis; and

WHEREAS, during TOM's tenure, the Human Services Department and individual programs received recognition, commendations and positive reports from various State/Federal review processes and Department programs have been recognized as among the best in the state; and

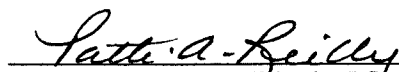
WHEREAS, TOM will continue to work under an Extra-Help Agreement with the County as Human Services Director until July 21, 2000, and continue on as Mental Health Director effective July 22, 2000; and

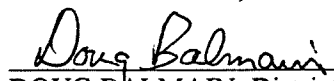
WHEREAS, TOM plans to enjoy retirement with his wife, Melodie, and their RV; and

WHEREAS, TOM will be missed by all his colleagues and staff.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved, the Board of Supervisors of Mariposa County, a political subdivision of the State of California, hereby recognizes TOM ARCHER for his services to the County and citizens of Mariposa, and he is warmly wished a long and happy retirement.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of Mariposa County this 18th day of July 2000, by unanimous vote.


PATTI A. REILLY, District I Supervisor


DOUG BALMAIN, District II Supervisor


ROBERT C. STEWART, District III Supervisor


GARRY R. PARKER, District IV Supervisor


BOB PICKARD, District V Supervisor

