

## Proclamation

IN HONOR OF

## LENARD WATSON

## ON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE LASSEN COUNTY PROBATION DEPARTMENT

- **Whereas, LENARD WATSON** began employment on November 5, 2008 as a Juvenile Hall Counselor; on November 8, 2009, he was promoted to Juvenile Hall Counselor II; on April 12, 2013 he was promoted to Juvenile Hall Counselor III; and on October 2, 2013, he was promoted to Supervising Juvenile Hall Counselor, a position he held until his retirement on April 19, 2018; and,
- **Whereas, LENARD WATSON** has done an outstanding job mastering his position and meeting the needs of the clients and department. He conducts himself in a professional manner and is well liked by the agencies he collaborates with. It is apparent Lenard is looking at the best interest of the youth and families he is working with and has been commended by his supervisor for his dedication; and,
- **Whereas**, **LENARD WATSON**, outside of his everyday duties, goes above and beyond to ensure the Department's needs are met. While working at the Juvenile Hall facility, he created a State Training Certified (STC) class through the Board of State and Community Corrections (BSCC) for accessing medication. He went to an instructor's course for Forward Thinking, he trained employees to use The Wrap, and assisted with Task Analysis for Juvenile Corrections and Probation Officers. His creativity, motivation, and effort will continue to show improvements in the programs we offer.
- **Whereas, LENARD WATSON** is hard working and has a willingness to continue learning and teaching. He has brought to the Department his professionalism and great sense of humor. Lenard has earned the respect of his peers, supervisors, the youth he served and other agencies. He is a role model and will be missed by all. We wish him the best as he embarks on his new journey in life.

**Row, Therefore** If Resolved, by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Lassen, that **LENARD WATSON** be commended for over 9 years of service to Lassen County and that the Board of Supervisors wishes him well for many years to come.

The foregoing Proclamation was adopted at a Regular Meeting of the Board of Supervisors, County of Lassen, State of California, held on the 17th day of April 2018 at Susanville, California.



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