## Resolution No. 2025-18

## RESOLUTION OF THE SOLANO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS HONORING JEANNETTE GARCIA FOR OVER 26 YEARS OF DEDICATED PUBLIC SERVICE TO SOLANO COUNTY

WHEREAS, Jeannette Garcia was hired on September 21, 1998, by the Office of the Public Defender as a Deputy Public Defender II; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Garcia was promoted to the position of Deputy Public Defender V on December 27, 2008: and

WHEREAS, Ms. Garcia served as a defense attorney in every unit of the Department and was working as a felony trial lawyer until her retirement on December 31, 2024; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Garcia has proven herself to be a valuable asset in multiple positions in the Department throughout her career at the Solano County Public Defender's Office. In addition to representing adults accused of crimes, Ms. Garcia has handled juvenile delinquency and dependency cases, as well as civil commitments, and served as a lead attorney; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Garcia has also served the community as a Judge Advocate General for the U.S. Army Reserves; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Garcia was an advocate for veterans in the criminal justice system. She regularly represented the Solano County Public Defender at Veteran's Stand Downs over the years and was instrumental in the development of the Solano County Veteran's Treatment Court; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Garcia retired on December 31, 2024, leaving behind a legacy of outstanding service to the Department, its clients, and the staff. Her dedication will be deeply missed.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Solano County Board of Supervisors hereby honors and recognizes Jeannette Garcia for her over 26 years of outstanding and dedicated service to the citizens of Solano County and wishes her success in her future endeavors and a long, happy, and well-deserved retirement.

Dated this 4th day of February, 2025

ATTEST: BILL EMLEN, Clerk

Solano County Board of Supervisors

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Alicia Draves, Chief Deputy Clerk

MITCH H. MASHBURN, Chair