## Resolution No. 2024-

## RESOLUTION OF THE SOLANO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS HONORING LIEUTENANT-SHERIFF JONATHAN MAZER UPON HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE SOLANO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE WITH OVER 28 YEARS OF DEDICATED PUBLIC SERVICE TO SOLANO COUNTY

WHEREAS, Jonathan (Jon) Mazer began his law enforcement career in 1991 as a Sheriff's cadet with the Contra Costa County Sheriff's Office. While attending Diablo Valley College, he served as a police cadet for the Pinole and Lafayette Police Departments. He was sworn in as a Deputy-Sheriff for the Solano County Sheriff's Office on July 29,1996, promoted to Sergeant on November 13, 2011, and then promoted to Lieutenant on December 20, 2015; and

**WHEREAS,** during his career he has held various roles, including patrol deputy, Field Training Officer, marine patrol deputy, transport deputy, court bailiff, and investigations detective. He was a founding member of both the Solano County Mobile Field Force and the Inter-Agency Countywide Hazmat Emergency Response Team; and

WHEREAS, during his time as a Sergeant, Jon, served as a patrol supervisor, led the Crisis Negotiations Team and was assigned to the Office of Emergency Services. As a Sheriff's Lieutenant Jon was assigned to the Coroner's Office and was the Countywide Commander of Mobile Field Force. Jon established the Sheriff's Peer Support Team, which promotes employee mental health and critical incident stress resiliency, connecting staff with culturally competent licensed clinicians; and

WHEREAS, In April 2021, Jon was appointed Chief of Police for the Rio Vista Police Department, a Sheriff's contracted service. While serving as the Rio Vista Police Chief, he reinstituted the 24/7 volunteer community chaplain program and the Rio Vista Police Cadet Program. In 2022, he consulted as a subject matter expert for the Peace Officer Standards & Training on de-escalation curriculum for law enforcement. In 2023, he began teaching in the Crisis Intervention Team instructor cadre sponsored by the Solano County Department of Health and Social Services; and

**WHEREAS**, Lieutenant Jonathan Mazer was a valued and respected member of the Sheriff's Office; and his service, expertise, and knowledge will be greatly missed by his friends and coworkers.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Solano County Board of Supervisors hereby recognizes Lieutenant Jonathan Mazer for his distinguished service to the citizens of Solano County and wishes him a long, healthy, and happy retirement.

Dated this 12th day of November 2024

MITCH H. MASHBURN, Chair
Solano County Board of Supervisors
ATTEST: BILL EMLEN, Clerk Solano County Board of Supervisors
By:
Veronica Lake, Deputy Clerk