

# VANDENBERG VILLAGE COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT

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## Resolution 194-14

April 1, 2014

### EXPRESSING APPRECIATION TO JIMMY C. LEVINGSTON FOR TWENTY-FIVE YEARS OF DEDICATED SERVICE

WHEREAS, Mr. Jimmy C. Levingston (Jim) earned his Water Treatment Operator, Grade 2, and Wastewater Treatment Plant Operator, Grade 1, certificates while employed with the Shelter Cove Resort Improvement District Number 1 in Humboldt County, California, from 1984 through 1989; and

WHEREAS, on March 6, 1989, Jim joined Vandenberg Village Community Services District as an experienced utility service person on the four-man field crew, responsible for providing water and wastewater services to 6,500 residents of Vandenberg Village; and

WHEREAS, Jim earned his Water Distribution Operator, Grade 2 certificate in March 2001, and he is currently pursuing certification in wastewater collection system maintenance; and

WHEREAS, he is a strong individual of few words who is very much a team player. Jim has an excellent attendance record, and can always be depended upon to respond to after-hours work and emergencies. He has earned the respect of Village residents and District employees; and

WHEREAS, Jim has been particularly conscientious in performing preventive maintenance, taking care to exercise 391 valves in the water distribution system every year to ensure they work properly, and diligently inspecting and cleaning the sewer collection system to minimize blockages and spills; and

WHEREAS, from July 2010 to June 2012, he showed outstanding teamwork and dedication on the Automated Meter Reading (AMR) Project. During the two-year effort, he assisted in systematically replacing every


water meter, most of them 10-20 years old, with brand new AMR meters; and successfully implemented a vehicle drive-by system using digital 3G technology to electronically read meters. Jim personally changed out 506 or 21 percent of the 2,465 meters; and

WHEREAS, during Jim's tenure he has been directly responsible for treating and distributing 11.2 billion gallons of safe drinking water in strict compliance with state health standards; as well as collecting and transporting 4.7 billion gallons of wastewater to the Lompoc Regional Wastewater Reclamation Plant for proper treatment and disposal.

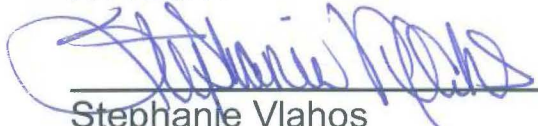
NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Directors of Vandenberg Village Community Services District, that Mr. Jimmy C. Livingston be commended, thanked, and congratulated for completing 25 years of dedicated service to the Vandenberg Village Community Services District on March 6, 2014.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Directors of the Vandenberg Village Community Services District this 1<sup>st</sup> day of April, 2014 upon motion by Director Wyckoff, seconded by Director Fox, and as approved by the following roll call vote:

AYES:	Directors Wyckoff, Fox and Brooks
NOES:	None
ABSENT:	Directors Blair and Redmon
ABSTAIN:	None

  
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Robert Wyckoff, President  
Board of Directors

ATTEST:

  
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Stephanie Vlahos  
Secretary to the Board of Directors