

THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF STANISLAUS
ACTION AGENDA SUMMARY

DEPT: Board of Supervisors

BOARD AGENDA # *A-6

Urgent

Routine

AGENDA DATE June 22, 2010

CEO Concurs with Recommendation YES NO

(Information Attached)

4/5 Vote Required YES NO

SUBJECT:

Approval of a Commendation for Judge Donald Shaver Upon his Retirement from the Stanislaus County Superior Court

STAFF RECOMMENDATIONS:

Approve a commendation for Judge Donald Shaver Upon his Retirement from the Stanislaus County Superior Court.

Contact person: Christine Ferraro Tallman, Clerk of the Board

Telephone: 525-4494

FISCAL IMPACT:

There is no fiscal impact associated with this item.

BOARD ACTION AS FOLLOWS:

No. 2010-371

On motion of Supervisor Chiesa, Seconded by Supervisor Monteith
and approved by the following vote,

Ayes: Supervisors: O'Brien, Chiesa, Monteith, DeMartini, and Chairman Grover

Noes: Supervisors: None

Excused or Absent: Supervisors: None

Abstaining: Supervisor: None

1) X Approved as recommended

2) _____ Denied

3) _____ Approved as amended

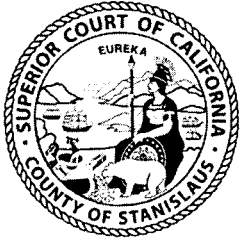
4) _____ Other:

MOTION:

ATTEST:


CHRISTINE FERRARO TALLMAN, Clerk

File No.



Superior Court of the State of California

COUNTY OF STANISLAUS

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JACK M. JACOBSON, JUDGE

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June 14, 2010

Board of Supervisors
County of Stanislaus
1010 – 10th Street
Modesto, CA 95354

RE: The Honorable Donald Shaver
Superior Court Judge

Dear Clerk of the Board,

On behalf of the Superior Court of California, County of Stanislaus, I would sincerely appreciate your consideration in preparing an official *Letter of Recognition* to the Honorable Donald Shaver, who will retire August 10, 2010.

Judge Shaver began his legal career in private practice with Diehl, Steinheimer, Riggio, Haydel and Mordaunt in 1981. He continued private practice in 1982 with the firm Calone and Roster in Modesto. He entered into the Stanislaus County District Attorney's Office as a Homicide Attorney in 1983 where he remained for seven years. In 1990 he was appointed Judge of the Municipal Court of California, County of Stanislaus. He served on the Superior Court/Municipal Court Consolidation Committee, from 1996-1998, during which time he was elevated to the Superior Court of California, County of Stanislaus. Judge Shaver continues to serve the Superior Court of California here in Modesto, California.

Judge Shaver demonstrates leadership through many avenues including his recent activities as Section Liaison to the ABA Coalition for Justice and Co-Chair to the ABA Section of International Law, International Criminal Law Committee. In 2006 Judge Shaver was the first American judge to work with the International Criminal Court (ICC) in The Hague.

Judge Shaver is highly respected by a broad segment of the justice system based on his honesty, integrity and sense of fair play. Although he will be sorely missed, we wish him the very best in retirement that he so richly deserves.

It will not be necessary for a representative of your office to present the letter in person as I would be honored to do so if you would please send it to this office.

Thank-you very much for your courtesy and attention to this matter.

Sincerely,

JACK M. JACOBSON
Presiding Superior Court Judge
800 – 11th Street
Modesto, California 95354

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