

FORT ORD REUSE AUTHORITY

Resolution of Appreciation

Mayor Dennis Donohue

IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED by the Fort Ord Reuse Authority (FORA) that:

WHEREAS, Mayor Dennis Donohue was elected City of Salinas Mayor in November 2006, becoming a regular member of the Fort Ord Reuse Authority in 2009; and

WHEREAS, Dennis Donohue served the Monterey Bay Region with distinctive leadership, extraordinary discipline, and commendable community sensitivity on the Salinas Planning Commission, Salinas Affirmative Action Commission, Salinas Police Activity Commission, and the Salinas Citizens' General Plan Review Committee prior to being elected as Mayor; and

WHEREAS, Dennis Donohue also served on a number of community or business volunteer groups, several non profit Boards of Directors, and a number of gang prevention program committees; and

WHEREAS, during Mayor Donohue's tenure as Mayor he provided focused attention to the business and economic needs of the Salinas Valley, recognized the importance of balanced replacement recovery programs at the former Fort Ord; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Donohue has actively engaged and supported Monterey Bay Region educational/community/military partnerships, has advocated for former Fort Ord public safety, effective munitions remediation, collaboration and research/business partnerships and creating the California Central Coast Veterans Cemetery ; and

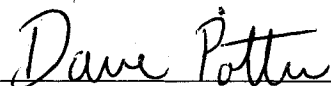
WHEREAS, the FORA Board Members have greatly benefited from Mayor Donohue's patient, reserved and demure closed session style; and

WHEREAS, Mayor Donohue has consistently supported broad community input to regional solutions to the economic, political, socio-economic, and environmental issues facing the Monterey Bay community.

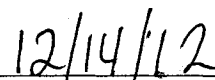
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED for all reasons described above, but not limited thereto, the FORA Board of Directors hereby extends its sincere commendation to Mayor Dennis Donohue;

BE IT FUTHER RESOLVED, on behalf of the entire FORA family the Board of Directors extends its deepest gratitude to Dennis Donohue for his forthright leadership and exemplary service to the Monterey Bay Region.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Fort Ord Reuse Authority Board of Directors this 14th day of December, 2012.



Supervisor Dave Potter, Chair



Date