

RESOLUTION OF APPRECIATION to the)  
Presidio of Monterey Fire Department, )  
Presidio of Monterey Police Department, )  
Salinas-Rural Fire District, )  
North County Fire District, )  
City of Monterey Fire Department, )  
City of Seaside Fire Department, )  
City of Marina Fire Department, )  
Bureau of Land Management, and )  
California Conservation Corps, hereinafter )  
referred to as "Public Safety Agencies" )

THIS RESOLUTION is adopted with reference to the following facts and circumstances:

**WHEREAS**, the Fort Ord Reuse Authority ("FORA") is obligated to conduct periodic habitat restoration burns on the former Fort Ord on parcels defined in the Fort Ord Installation-Wide Multi-Species Habitat Management Plan; and

**WHEREAS**, the East Garrison/Monterey Peninsula Land Swap Agreement redesignated portions of Parker Flats as habitat, subject to habitat restoration burns; and

**WHEREAS**, Fall weather conditions offer the most beneficial days to conduct habitat burns on the former Fort Ord; and

**WHEREAS**, nine Public Safety Agencies were contacted and agreed to participate in the 2005 Parker Flats Habitat Restoration and Training Burn; and

**WHEREAS**, all nine Public Safety Agencies collaborated in the preparation of an Incident Action Plan for the burn and coordinated with Monterey Bay Unified Air Pollution Control District ("MBUAPCD") and National Oceanic & Atmospheric Administration ("NOAA") to monitor weather conditions and protect human health; and

**WHEREAS**, the Public Safety Agencies volunteered staff, resources, and expertise to conduct the 2005 Parker Flats Habitat Restoration and Training Burn; and

**WHEREAS**, the Public Safety Agencies worked closely with FORA to keep the public informed of the habitat restoration and training burns; and

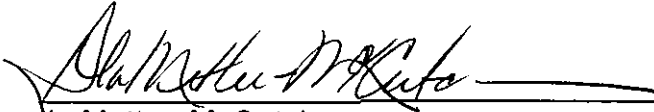
**WHEREAS**, the Public Safety Agencies implemented training procedures in controlled wildfire burns, in suppression activities, and in the use of various methods for fire management that will provide them with many advantages in responding to local and regional wildfires; and


**WHEREAS**, a series of small parcel, habitat restoration and training burns were conducted on September 23, September 24, October 26, and October 27, 2005; and

**WHEREAS**, approximately 120 acres of wildlands were successfully burned.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that, on behalf of the Fort Ord Reuse Authority staff, the jurisdictions and their respective staffs, and many others, the Fort Ord Reuse Authority Board of Directors extends its sincere appreciation to each of the Public Safety Agencies and their staffs for their many hours of dedicated service and professional expertise, which was vital in making the 2005 FORA Habitat Restoration and Training Burn in the Parker Flats area a successful endeavor.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that in recognition of the exemplary efforts that were evidenced before, during and after the burns, the Fort Ord Reuse Authority Board of Directors is hereby honored to present certificates of appreciation to the nine Public Safety Agencies on this 18<sup>th</sup> day of November 2005.

  
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Chair, Board of Directors  
Fort Ord Reuse Authority

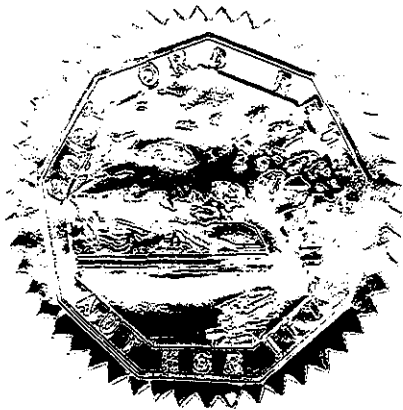
  
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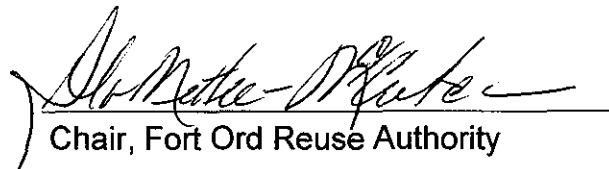
# CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION

**By the Fort Ord Reuse Authority,  
presented to:**

**Mario Marquez and the  
Bureau of Land Management**

**In gratitude for extraordinary efforts and participation in the Parker  
Flats Habitat Restoration and Training Burns of 2005.**



  
Chair, Fort Ord Reuse Authority

18 Nov 05  
Date


# CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION

**By the Fort Ord Reuse Authority,  
presented to:**

**Chief Chris Orman and the  
North County Fire District**

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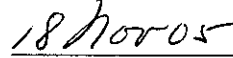
**By the Fort Ord Reuse Authority,  
presented to:**

**Chief Jack Riso and the  
Presidio of Monterey Fire Department**

**In gratitude for extraordinary efforts and participation in the Parker  
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# CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION

By the Fort Ord Reuse Authority,  
presented to:

**Chief Greg Glass and the  
City of Monterey Fire Department**

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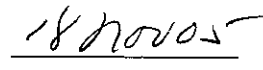
By the Fort Ord Reuse Authority,  
presented to:

**Brenda Herman and the  
California Conservation Corp.**

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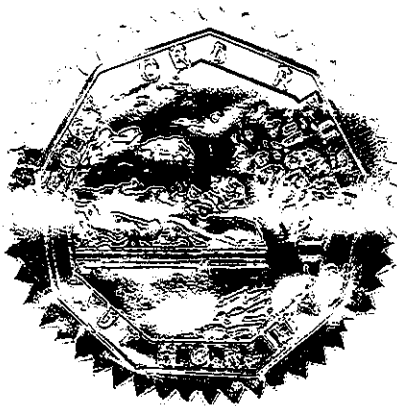
  
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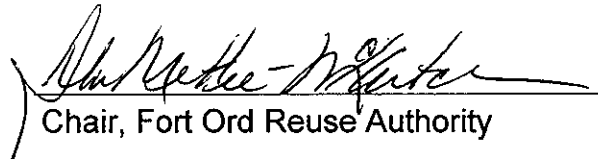
# CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION

By the **Fort Ord Reuse Authority**,  
presented to:

**Chief Harald Kelley and the  
City of Marina Fire Department**

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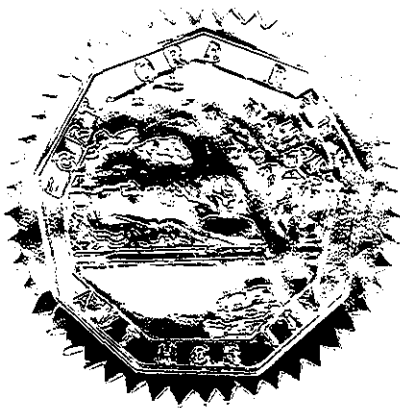


# CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION


By the **Fort Ord Reuse Authority**,  
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**Chief Steve Negro and the  
Salinas-Rural Fire District**

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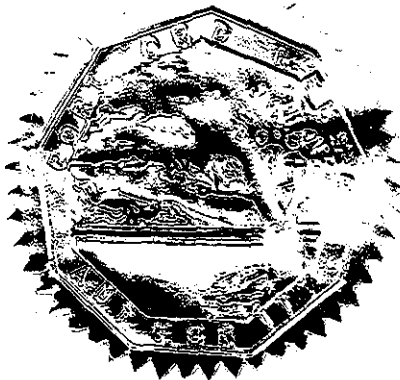
  
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# CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION

By the Fort Ord Reuse Authority,  
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**Chief James Laughlin and the  
Presidio of Monterey Police Department**

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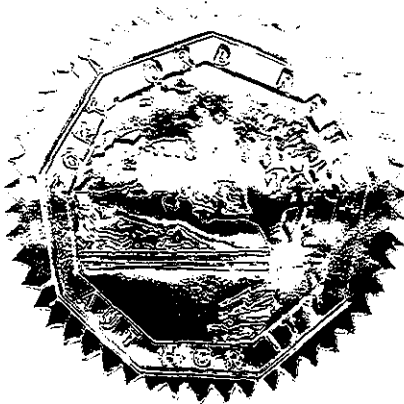
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# CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION

By the Fort Ord Reuse Authority,  
presented to:

**Chief Jerry Wombacher and the  
City of Seaside Fire Department**

**In gratitude for extraordinary efforts and participation in the Parker  
Flats Habitat Restoration and Training Burns of 2005.**



*Shirley M. Kuter*  
Chair, Fort Ord Reuse Authority

*18/7/05*  
Date