

FORT ORD REUSE AUTHORITY

Resolution of Appreciation and Commendation

Councilmember Thomas "Tom" Mancini

WHEREAS, Tom Mancini served as a member of the Fort Ord Reuse Authority Board from December 1994 through November 2010 offering historical context and former Fort Ord knowledge; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Mancini served as City of Seaside Councilmember working diligently on military base reuse, public safety, services for seniors and youth, and the planned state Veterans Cemetery on former Fort Ord; and

WHEREAS, Tom made significant and valuable contributions to former Fort Ord projects especially those producing benefits for unemployed and underserved; and

WHEREAS, during Mr. Mancini's tenure on the FORA Board, a number of major projects were developed creating jobs, economic development and regional infrastructure greatly helping all former Fort Ord jurisdictions; and

WHEREAS, Tom served on the FORA Finance Committee, represented FORA on the Monterey County Veterans Cemetery Citizens' Advisory Committee, and represented Seaside and FORA at legislative hearings in Sacramento to garner support for passage of Fort Ord Redevelopment legislation; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Mancini is well known for his quiet, reserved, polite demeanor - respecting his colleagues and insisting on appreciation for every opinion; and

WHEREAS, Tom Mancini was well-versed in former Fort Ord water supply issues, carefully monitored annual water consumption reports prepared by MCWD, and advocated water conservation measures to preserve this precious resource.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that on behalf of the FORA Staff, the jurisdictions and their respective staffs, and many others, the Fort Ord Reuse Authority Board of Directors extends its sincere appreciation for Mr. Mancini's years of dedicated service and wishes him every success in future endeavors.



Supervisor Dave Potter, Chair

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