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## Proclamation

## A PROCLAMATION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, COUNTY OF INYO, STATE OF CALIFORNIA, HONORING CARL DENNETT AS INYO COUNTY 2020 EMS PROVIDER OF THE YEAR

Whereas, the Inyo County Emergency Medical Care Committee, dedicated to the preservation and improvement of the local EMS program throughout Inyo County, created the Annual EMS Provider of the Year Award; and

Whereas, the Inyo County Board of Supervisors strongly supports the efforts of its EMS providers throughout Inyo County and is pleased to join with the other members of our Community in honoring the brave men and women who volunteer their time to help keep their loved ones, friends, neighbors, and our visitors safe in times of emergencies; and

Whereas, Carl Dennett joined the Southern Inyo Fire Protection District in August of 2011; and

**Whereas,** Carl served as Administrative Chief, Head EMT, held an Advanced EMT certification, responded to fire calls as a firefighter and was a lead instructor in training new EMT recruits; and

*Whereas,* Carl has demonstrated commitment to his role as a volunteer to his community and who, as a leader in the Department, devoted much of his personal time to the Department addressing the wide-range of administrative functions, ensuring that the Department followed the multitudes of rules and regulations, and recruiting new volunteers; and

*Whereas,* Carl has worked diligently to establish a fire station in Charleston View and continues to advocate on behalf of the station's development; and

*Whereas,* Carl has been an integral member of the Southern Inyo Fire Protection District, motivating others through his actions and example, and earning the respect of his fellow Inyo County EMS volunteers as evidenced by being named the EMS Volunteer of the Year in 2016 and being awarded the Meritorious Service Award by the California EMS System in 2016;

**Now, Therefore, Be It Proclaimed,** this 9<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2020, that the Inyo County Board of Supervisors in recognition of the dedicated service Carl Dennett has given to the Southern Inyo Fire Protection District, is proud to join with the Emergency Medical Care Committee in honoring Carl Dennett as the Inyo County 2020 EMS Provider of the Year; extends its congratulations, heartfelt appreciation and thanks to Carl Dennett for his dedication and personal commitment to the citizens of Inyo County; and commends him on being a shining example of what it means to be a volunteer.

Matt Kingsley, Chairperson, District 5









