



**WHEREAS**, volunteers provide a great service to the community; and

**WHEREAS**, the Santa Rosa Police Department greatly relies on its Volunteers in Police Services (VIPS) for a variety of services, including Neighborhood Watch Presentations, Citizens Police Academy, Community Events, Downtown Ambassador Program, Abandoned Vehicle Abatement, Speed Monitoring Enforcement, Enforcement of Disabled Parking Laws, Graffiti Abatement hot line message retrieval and photographing locations of graffiti, Administrative Duties and data entry ; and

**WHEREAS**, the VIPS are essential in providing customer service to the Department and the Community; and

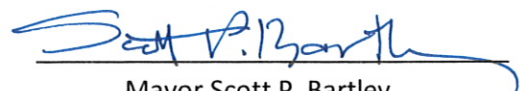
**WHEREAS**, the 45 VIPS logged in excess of 4,600 hours during the past year; and

**WHEREAS**, the assistance they provide both the Department and the Community is invaluable.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that I, SCOTT P. BARTLEY, Mayor of the City of Santa Rosa, do hereby thank and extend the gratitude of the City of Santa Rosa to

**THE VOLUNTEERS IN POLICE SERVICES  
(VIPS)**



  
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Mayor Scott P. Bartley  
April 16, 2013