

**SUBMITTAL TO THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

206A



FROM: Bob Doyle, Sheriff-Coroner-PA

SUBMITTAL DATE:
04/20/05

SUBJECT: National Correctional Officers' Week

RECOMMENDED MOTION: Move that the Board of Supervisors proclaim the week of May 1 through May 7, 2005 as Correctional Officers' Week in Riverside County.

BACKGROUND: The week of May 1 through May 7, 2005 has been declared National Correctional Officers' Week. It is appropriate to recognize the efforts of our local Correctional Officers who provide important services to the community by maintaining the safety and security of the Sheriff's adult detention facilities. A brief profile on each of this year's five outstanding Correctional Officers is attached.

BR 05-080

Departmental Concurrence

Janis K Conklin for

Bob Doyle, Sheriff-Coroner-PA

FINANCIAL DATA	Current F.Y. Total Cost:	N/A	In Current Year Budget:	No
	Current F.Y. Net County Cost:	\$0	Budget Adjustment:	No
	Annual Net County Cost:	\$0	For Fiscal Year:	FY 2004-05
SOURCE OF FUNDS: Not Applicable				Positions To Be Deleted Per A-30 <input type="checkbox"/>
				Requires 4/5 Vote <input type="checkbox"/>

C.E.O. RECOMMENDATION:

APPROVE

County Executive Office Signature

Fally A. Deaver

- Dep't Recomm.: Consent Policy
- Per Exec. Ofc.: Consent Policy

COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE
OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE

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2005 Correctional Deputy of the Year

The **Blythe Jail** recognizes **Correctional Deputy Jeremy Dortch**. Dep. Dortch has been with the Sheriff's Department since January 2003. He is a team player and more importantly a leader. On numerous occasions, he has quickly stepped in to handle inmate problems before they have become major incidents. Dep. Dortch has been commended for his dependability, for example, he has not used any sick leave during his tenure with the Department. He is an excellent example for his peers.

The **Indio Jail** recognizes **Correctional Deputy Katie Housewright**. She started with the Sheriff's Department in 1988. Dep. Housewright is very reliable and knowledgeable in all areas of Corrections. She is commended for her strong work ethic and loyalty to the Department. Her peers recognize her as a team player who provides strong leadership and guidance in all situations.

Correctional Corporal Brendan Mills is being recognized by the **Robert Presley Detention Center**. Cpl. Mills has been with the Sheriff's Department since 1996 and was promoted to Corporal earlier this year. Cpl. Mills is known for his ability to lead and direct staff in emergency situations. For example, when a fire broke out in a housing unit, Cpl. Mills quickly coordinated the movement of inmates away from danger while maintaining important inmate classification separation. Cpl. Mills remains up to date on gang activity and trends that could affect the Corrections Division and then he provides training to staff to share what he has learned.

Smith Correctional Facility recognizes **Correctional Deputy Jerry Sappington**. Dep. Sappington started with the Sheriff's Department in 1999. He is commended for his dedication and highly motivated work ethic. As a Classification Deputy, he has exhibited excellent investigative skills. These skills have allowed him to uncover problems, for which corrective action was implemented. He uses common sense and will often seek out the viewpoint of others. Dep. Sappington is seen as a leader and looked up to by his peers.

The **Southwest Detention Center** recognizes **Correctional Deputy Tracy Osbey**. Dep. Osbey has been with the Sheriff's Department since 2000. She currently fills a lead position in the Transportation unit at the facility. Dep. Osbey has extensive knowledge of Business Office procedures and related court paperwork. Therefore, she is sought out by her peers when technical questions arise. She is commended for her ability to plan, organize and lead her peers effectively. Dep. Osbey's coordination efforts ensure that more than 200 inmates arrive on-time daily to courtrooms throughout the County. She repeatedly displays exemplary leadership and utilizes these skills to mentor less experienced staff.