

Town of Atherton



Proclamation

IN RECOGNITION OF ATHERTON POLICE DISPATCHER/RECORDS ASSISTANT SHARON KOEHLER

WHEREAS, Sharon Koehler, a veteran Atherton Police Dispatcher with over 34 years of service to 6 agencies in her law enforcement career; and

WHEREAS, the City Council of the Town of Atherton, along with the entire community, would like to honor the contributions that Sharon Koehler has made during her public safety career; and

WHEREAS, Sharon's involvement in the Atherton Police Communications Division as a premier Dispatcher, who also served as an expert on Records releases, trained new Dispatchers, answered thousands of 911 and non-emergency calls while multi-tasking; and

WHEREAS, because of Sharon's longevity in addition to her areas of public safety expertise made her an invaluable asset to this organization and to the following agencies: Burlingame Police from 1989 – 2023; San Francisco Airport Police from 1991 – 1998; Foster City Police from 1997 – 2017; Palo Alto Animal Control from 1995 – 2005; Millbrae Police from 2001-2005, and Atherton Police from 2013 - 2023; and

WHEREAS, Sharon worked tirelessly over the years to ensure that her hard work and dedication provided a vital link to the public safety services on which we have come to rely every day and for all the sacrifices she made to create a better and safer world for the public and her team; and

NOW, THEREFORE, as Mayor of the Town of Atherton, and on behalf of the Atherton City Council, I hereby commend the outstanding community service performed by Sharon Koehler during her career and wish her well in her next chapter.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the Town of Atherton to be affixed this 18th day of October 2023.

Bill Widmer, Mayor
Town of Atherton