<sup>City of</sup> Manhatt<u>an Be</u>ach

Certificate of Commendation

## 2021 POLICE OFFICER OF THE YEAR SERGEANT MICHAEL LYNCH

Whereas,

In 1980 the Manhattan Beach Police Department implemented a program whereby the Department would recognize outstanding efforts of police officers and encourage motivation and morale by naming an "Officer of the Year;" and

*Whereas,* Nominees must be sworn officers of any rank and must maintain an outstanding attitude and professional demeanor; and

*Whereas,* The distinction and honor of being named "2021 Officer of the Year" recently went to Police Sergeant Michael Lynch, who has shown the professional qualities that render outstanding police officers, the expertise, the courage, the patience, and the ability to perform a duty which at times seems impossible; and

Mhereas, Mhereas,

eas, Michael's performance stands out among his peers; and

eas, The City Council wishes to recognize Police Sergeant Michael Lynch for being designated "Officer of the Year" and for doing such an outstanding job for the Police Department and the community.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved that I, Steve Napolitano, Mayor of the City of Manhattan Beach, California, on behalf of the City Council and the residents of Manhattan Beach, do hereby commend

Police Sergeant Michael Lynch

for his outstanding contribution to the Manhattan Beach Police Department and to the community.

Dated this 21<sup>st</sup> day of June, 2022.

MAYOR STEVE NAPOLITANO