

**RESOLUTION**  
**Sergeant Jesus Puente**  
**Serial No. 27809**  
**32 Years of Service**

**WHEREAS**, Sergeant Jesus Puente, Serial No. 27809, has completed 32 years of dedicated and distinguished law enforcement service to the citizens of the City of Los Angeles, culminating with his retirement on June 18, 2022; and

**WHEREAS**, Sergeant Jesus Puente was appointed to the Los Angeles Police Department on June 18, 1990, and

**WHEREAS**, Sergeant Jesus Puente has demonstrated outstanding professional conduct in law enforcement in a variety of assignments, including Police Officer assigned to various divisions such as Hollywood, West Valley, and Devonshire, patrol. In 1998, promoted to Patrol Sergeant, received dual status in 2000 and was assigned to Northeast Vice as a Detective I, promoted to the rank of Sergeant II in 2000 and became the Vice Unit Supervisor of West Valley Division; in 2003, transferred to Internal Affairs working a variety of assignments; became a Commander's Aid at Valley Bureau; transferred to Employee Relations Group in 2006 and in 2011 transferred to Olympic Division where he assumed the position of Officer-In-Charge of the Community Relations Office; and,

**WHEREAS**, Sergeant Jesus Puente, as a member of the Los Angeles Police Department, served the public and provided extraordinary leadership and professionalism during some of the City's most historic events, the 1992 Riots; 1994 Northridge Earthquake, 1994 World Cup Games, 2000 Democratic National Convention; and lastly, the 2020 Safe L.A. Civil Unrest; and,

**WHEREAS**, Sergeant Jesus Puente participated in the investigation of numerous crimes of importance, in his illustrious career; and oversaw countless crowd control incidents.


**WHEREAS**, Sergeant Jesus Puente has received numerous commendations, letters of appreciation, and was routinely recognized for his loyalty, exceptional work ethic, and innate common sense. Sergeant Jesus Puente's 32 years of outstanding achievements exemplify the highest traditions of the Los Angeles Police Department and has made our City a better and safer place in which to live, work, and visit; and

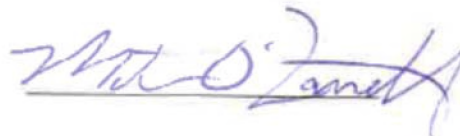
**WHEREAS**, Sergeant Jesus Puente is a proud father and husband; and

**WHEREAS**, Sergeant Jesus Puente is hereby honored for his 32 years of outstanding achievement in the field of law enforcement and is extended our warmest wishes on his well-deserved retirement

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that by adoption of this resolution, the Los Angeles City Council does hereby commend and congratulate Sergeant Jesus Puente for his 32 years of loyal and dedicated public service, and for representing the Los Angeles Police Department with excellence and wishes him continued success in all his future endeavors.

PRESENTED BY:

  
**GILBERT CEDILLO**  
Councilmember, 1<sup>st</sup> District



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