COMMENDATION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COMMERCE HONORING **RODRIGO GALLEGOS** FOR HIS COUNTLESS ACHIEVEMENTS AND MANY YEARS OF DEDICATED SERVICE TO THE CITY OF COMMERCE

WHEREAS, Rodrigo Gallegos has been married to his wife Lia for 67 years, raising their four children in the City of Commerce, where they has lived for more than 50 years; and

WHEREAS, Rodrigo Gallegos worked as an Electronics Technician for the Los Angeles Unified SSchool District until 1993; and

WHEREAS, Rodrigo Gallegos has served as a ComCat volunteer for 13 years, assisting with Neighborhood Watch, Operation Kid Identification, National Night Out and all public safety events; and

WHEREAS, Rodrigo Gallegos has volunteered nearly 30 years of service to the Commerce Food Distribution Program, packing and distributing food to seniors; and

WHEREAS, Rodrigo Gallegos assists with the City's Flu Clinic and Holiday Cheer Program, and helped senior citizens with preparing tax returns for many years; and

WHEREAS, Rodrigo Gallegos served on the Senior Citizens Commission, the Parks and Recreation Commission, the Housing Committee and currently serves on the Public Safety and Community Services Commission; and

WHEREAS, Rodrigo Gallegos was treasurer for the Model City Democratic Club and Commerce Senior Citizens Club and has served as treasurer of the Commerce Social Club for the past 30 years; and

WHEREAS, Rodrigo Gallegos is highly deserving of this honor in light of his many years of dedicated service to the City of Commerce; and

WHEREAS, Rodrigo Gallegos' congenial personality and passion for lending a helping hand make him a valuable and much appreciated volunteer:

NOW, THEREFORE, THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF COMMERCE COMMENDS RODRIGO GALLEGOS FOR HIS EXEMPLARY SERVICE TO THE COMMERCE COMMUNITY. HIS COMMITMENT TO THE PEOPLE WHO LIVE, WORK AND VISIT THE CITY HAS CONTRIBUTED GREATLY TOWARDS IMPROVING THE QUALITY OF LIFE OF HIS FELLOW RESIDENTS AND IS AN INSPIRATION TO ALL. Signed this 16th day of August 2016.

ATTEST:

Ivan Altamirano Mayor

Lena Shumway City Clerk