

**COMMENDATION OF THE CITY COUNCIL  
OF THE CITY OF COMMERCE  
COMMENDING**

**DR. JUAN F. CASILLAS, DVM**

**FOR HIS MANY YEARS OF EXEMPLARY SERVICE TO THE  
CITY OF COMMERCE RABIES CLINIC AND FOR PROVIDING  
QUALITY VETERINARY CARE TO THE COMMUNITY**

***WHEREAS,** Dr. Juan F. Casillas has been practicing veterinary medicine since 1969;  
and*

***WHEREAS,** Dr. Juan F. Casillas has devoted his life to ensuring the well-being of the  
community's pets, which he faithfully carries out with the help of his competent staff at  
his three local veterinary clinics; and*

***WHEREAS,** Dr. Juan F. Casillas has generously provided low-cost vaccinations,  
treatment options and financial assistance to local pet owners for more than 40 years;  
and*

***WHEREAS,** Dr. Juan F. Casillas began graciously volunteering his time at the City's  
annual Rabies Clinic more than 30 years ago and has thus far skillfully and patiently  
administered low-cost rabies vaccines to more than 10,000 dogs; and*

***WHEREAS,** Dr. Juan F. Casillas is deeply committed to providing medical care to  
animals in need of treatment, having assisted the City of Commerce's Animal Control  
Officers with treatment of numerous orphaned and injured animals; and*

***Whereas,** Dr. Juan F. Casillas continues to serve as a consultant to the City's Animal  
Control Division and law enforcement, advising on cases concerning dangerous animals  
and dog bites; and*

***WHEREAS,** Dr. Juan F. Casillas is a consummate and compassionate veterinarian, a  
rare breed of man whose love for animals enormously benefits our community:*

**NOW, THEREFORE, THE COMMERCE CITY COUNCIL COMMENDS DR. JUAN  
F. CASILLAS FOR PROVIDING OUTSTANDING VETERINARY CARE TO THE  
COMMERCE COMMUNITY'S FOUR-LEGGED FRIENDS FOR MORE THAN  
FOUR DECADES. THANK YOU FOR TAKING SUCH GREAT CARE OF OUR  
PETS.**

Signed this 18<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2017

ATTEST:

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Oralia Y. Rebollo  
Mayor

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Lena Shumway  
City Clerk