

**RESOLUTION IN HONOR OF OSCAR MARTINEZ
FOR 32 YEARS OF SERVICE**

WHEREAS, Sergeant Oscar Martinez is being honored for his exceptional work and dedication to the County of Hidalgo after serving with distinction and integrity for the past 32 years at the Hidalgo County Sheriff's Office; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant Martinez was born in Pharr, TX in 1956, and was a graduate of PSJA High School in 1977.

WHEREAS, Sergeant Martinez started his career with the Sheriff's Office as a Detention Officer on July 17, 1985 and was promoted to Sergeant on January 1, 1995. Mr. Martinez was an exemplary Sergeant for the Hidalgo County Sheriff's Office Adult Detention Center for the last 22 years of his career; and

WHEREAS, Sergeant Martinez was a mentor to those Officers that worked for him and with him.

WHEREAS, Sergeant Martinez's dedication to his profession influenced his son Oscar Martinez Jr. to join the Hidalgo County Sheriff's Office where he currently serves as a Deputy Sheriff.

WHEREAS, Sergeant Martinez married the love of his life; San Juanita on April 18, 1980 and celebrates his 37th wedding anniversary today. Mr. Martinez now plans to spend his life enjoying his time with his wife, two sons and most of all his grandchildren.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Hidalgo County Commissioner's Court hereby recognizes and honors Sergeant Oscar Martinez for his outstanding service, dedication, and commitment during his 32 years of service to the community and the citizens of Hidalgo County, and on this day wishes him a long, healthy and fruitful retirement.

Dated this 18th day of April, 2017.

RAMON GARCIA
County Judge

DAVID L. FUENTES
County Commissioner, Pct. 1

EDUARDO "EDDIE" CANTU
County Commissioner, Pct. 2

JOE M. FLORES
County Commissioner, Pct. 3

JOSEPH PALACIOS
County Commissioner, Pct. 4

Attest: ARTURO GUAJARDO, JR.
County Clerk