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AGENDA DATE: February 26, 2008

TO: Del Norte County Board of Supervisors

FROM: Jeannine Galatioto, County Administrative Officer 

SUBJECT: Appointment of Chief Probation Officer

RECOMMENDATION FOR BOARD ACTION:

Acknowledge the appointment of Connie Merrill as Chief Probation Officer effectively immediately as requested by Judge Weir and Judge Follett, Del Norte County Superior Court. Direct staff to make the appropriate title changes.

SUMMARY:

On November 4, 2005 Connie Merrill was appointed Interim Chief Probation Officer following the long term absence of the previous Chief. Prior to her appointment as Interim Chief Ms. Merrill was the Assistant Chief Probation Officer for nineteen years and had twice been appointed temporarily to the position of Chief during the absence of that court officer. The Superior Court Judges have requested that her title be changed, removing the Interim designation. She is and has been the Chief Probation Officer for the last two years.

OTHER AGENCY INVOLVEMENT:

Del Norte County Superior Court
Del Norte County Probation Department