

WHEREAS, Since 1966, Jay Thorwaldson has been a reporter at various newspapers and is now the current editor of the Palo Alto Weekly; and

WHEREAS, Jay Thorwaldson has created numerous collaborative programs with other non-profit organizations; and

WHEREAS, Jay Thorwaldson was a co-founder of the Palo Alto Community Network (PA-ComNet) group that is helping define local computer and electronic-communication systems; and

WHEREAS, Jay Thorwaldson has always been and still is an active member of the Palo Alto Community, through his various membership on advisory boards and councils; and

WHEREAS, Jay Thorwaldson is not only involved with the people of the community, but also protecting the environment and helping stimulate community awareness around the environment;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Santa Clara, State of California does hereby honor and commend

Jay Thorwaldson, Editor Palo Alto Weekly

for receiving the 2002 Outstanding Professional Tall Tree Award for his contributions, continued dedication and commitment to the people of Palo Alto and Santa Clara County.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this Twenty-Sixth of March, Two Thousand and Two by unanimous vote.