CITY OF BEVERLY HILLS
STAFF REPORT

Meeting Date: August 31, 2010

To: Honorable Mayor & City Council

From: David L. Snowden, Chief of Police

Subject: Proclamation Honoring Lawrence I. Shapiro Memorial Award Honoree – Reserve Officer Michael Schwab

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Since May 2001, Michael Schwab has served an integral part of the City's Police Department's Reserve Officer program. As a Reserve Officer, he has devoted thousands of hours the Police Department. Michael Schwab will be presented a Proclamation to acknowledge his volunteer service and selection as the Lawrence I. Shapiro Memorial Award recipient for 2009.

The Shapiro Award, created in 2004 to recognize meritorious and dedicated service by Police Department volunteers, is named for the late Lawrence I. Shapiro, who served as an Auxiliary Police Officer and Civil Defense Worker beginning in 1942 and continued his volunteer service until his 1999 passing. To date, Mr. Shapiro is the only volunteer who has participated in each of the volunteer programs (Reserves, Disaster Communications System and Volunteers in Policing) whose members are eligible to receive this award.

David L. Snowden, Chief of Police
Approved By