



**Proclamation**  
**BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF EL DORADO**  
**Recognizing**  
**Russell Barnes for his Outstanding Public Service**

**Whereas**, Russell Barnes began working in the Information Technologies Department of El Dorado County in November 1999. Russell's first position was an IT Technician in the Computer Operations division (Machine Operator). He held that position for 7 years, working both the night shift and day shift as needed; and

**Whereas**, Russell Barnes promoted to IT Analyst I - Operating Systems, then promoted to IT Analyst II - Operating Systems. He worked as a Systems Programmer on the mainframe z/OS operating system for 12 years. Upon replacement of the mainframe system in 2018, Russell was transferred to the Server Support Division. In addition to working with Infrastructure support staff, he has also worked as backup support in the Records Management center for the past few years; and

**Whereas**, from the time Russ was a small boy, he loved the game of baseball. He played baseball through college, then Russell continued his passion to play softball for over 30 years. He played on multiple leagues and tournament teams throughout the years, as well as coaching his daughter's league, travel-ball and high school softball teams. He was his daughter's biggest fan, no matter what sport they were playing. Russ' involvement in sports for so many years prepared him for his dedication and contributions to the various IT teams throughout his career at El Dorado County; and

**Whereas**, Russell Barnes has been married for 30 years. He has three beautiful daughters, a stepson, two grandchildren with an additional grandchild on the way. He loves animals, and they love him. He is an amazing cook, preparing most of the meals for his family the past 30 years; and

**Whereas**, Russell Barnes enjoys the outdoors and nature and besides spending more time with his children and grandchildren, plans to travel and explore the United States and beyond during his retirement.

**Now therefore be it proclaimed:** that the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado recognizes and commends Russell Barnes for his significant contributions to the County for the past 21 years. The Board extends their appreciation to Russell for his outstanding public service.

**Passed** by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting of said Board, held the 15<sup>th</sup> day of December, 2020.

**Attest:**

Kim Dawson  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors  
by:

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Deputy Clerk

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Chair, Board of Supervisors