



Proclamation
OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF EL DORADO
Recognizing the 125th Anniversary of Marguerite Parlor #12

Whereas, on September 11, 1886, Miss Lilly O. Reichling and twenty young women met at Pioneer Hall, in Jackson, California to form an Order of California-born women to be known as the Native Daughters of the Golden West; and

Whereas, the distinctive name of Ursula (meaning "The Bear") was chosen for the first Parlor of the Order and Charter Officers were installed on March 7, 1887; and

Whereas, the founding principles adopted were Love of Home, Devotion to the Flag of our Country, Veneration of the Pioneers of California and an Abiding Faith in the Existence of God; and

Whereas, Marguerite Parlor # 12-Placerville, requested to be chartered and was formed on June 9, 1887 into the Native Daughters of the Golden West; and

Whereas, throughout the years since 1887, members of Marguerite Parlor #12 have attended many Grand Parlor events, have sponsored, supported and defined historical events and have taken the lead in the efforts to preserve local history in our community; and

Whereas, one of the traditions of Marguerite Parlor #12 is having historical markers placed throughout our community including but not limited to: The Ivy House, The Bell Tower, Bullion Bend, Pacific House, Sportsman's Hall, The Odd Fellows Hall, City Hall, Hangman's Tree; and

Whereas, the philosophy of Marguerite Parlor #12 has been "Coming Together is beginning..Working together is progress..Keeping together is success"; and

Whereas, on June 9, 2012, the Native Daughters of the Golden West, Marguerite Parlor #12 is hosting The Official Visit of Grand President, Marilyn Rodriguez, during their 125th Year Anniversary celebration.

Now, Therefore, be it Proclaimed, that the El Dorado County Board of Supervisors congratulates Marguerite Parlor #12 on celebrating its beginnings and keeping this historic society prospering.

Passed by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting of said Board, held the 5th day of June, 2012.

Attest:

Terri Daly
Acting Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
by:

Deputy Clerk

Chair, Board of Supervisors