



Proclamation of the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado

In Recognition of the 160th Anniversary of the El Dorado Community Church Congregational

WHEREAS, the El Dorado Community Church Congregational was established in 1857 by the miners and townspeople of Historic El Dorado and is located at 4701 Church Street in El Dorado; and

WHEREAS, the Church burned down in 1923 and was rebuilt on the original foundation; and

WHEREAS, the bell, which came around the horn from Philadelphia in 1859 and was carried to El Dorado on a mule-drawn wagon from San Francisco, was re-hung in the new steeple; and

WHEREAS, the pews were built by the El Dorado High School woodshop class in 1925 and are still in use today; and

WHEREAS, the El Dorado Community Church Congregational has afforded the Western Slope community with a wealth of spiritual leadership in its high caliber of pastors, many of whom have contributed by their work and concern to the quality of life in this community; and

WHEREAS, the El Dorado Community Church Congregational has selflessly provided a meeting place for such worthwhile groups as Alcoholics Anonymous, Al-Anon, Native Daughters of the Golden West, Miwok Indian Tribe, El Dorado Indian Council, and many others; and offer their facilities for a Polling Place, and for other county government uses; and

WHEREAS, the congregation and community came together in celebration of this prestigious anniversary during their annual Harvest Festival held on October 28, 2017.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Board of Supervisors of El Dorado County does hereby recognize the 160th Anniversary of the El Dorado Community Church Congregational, with congratulations!

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting, held the 7th day of November, 2017.

Attest:

James Mitrisin
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By _____
Deputy Clerk

Shiva Frentzen, Chair, Board of Supervisors