



PROCLAMATION

Proclamation of the El Dorado County Board of Supervisors Recognizing Richard "Rich" Briner, El Dorado County Surveyor For 19 Years of Outstanding Public Service

WHEREAS, Richard "Rich" Briner began his career with the El Dorado County Surveyor's Office in 1999 and has been an outstanding public servant who has provided 19 years of knowledge and service to the residents of El Dorado County; and,

WHEREAS, working first as an Associate Land Surveyor for the County of El Dorado from 1999 to 2002, Rich's growing knowledge on State and County regulations and his commitment to serving the public would lead to his promotion to El Dorado County Deputy Surveyor in 2002; and,

WHEREAS, the countywide respect for his "Get It Done" philosophy, his dedication to the professional land surveyors and engineers in our community and his tireless work to serve and educate members of the public was confirmed by the voters of El Dorado County when they elected Rich to the open seat of County Surveyor in 2011; and,

WHEREAS, Rich's dedication to public service began at an early age when he earned the rank of Eagle Scout. In keeping with the Mission of the Boy Scouts of America and his Scout Oath, his support for the Boy Scouts continues as an adult; and,

WHEREAS, following the lead of his father, Rich is a Shriner and has dedicated a life of service to the Shriner's Hospital for Children where he is widely recognized for his distinguished service on the Shriner's Hospitality Committee; and,

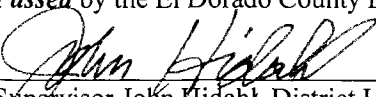
WHEREAS, as a long-standing member of Surveyors, Architects, Geologists and Engineers (SAGE) Rich served not only as past-president of the organization, but has dedicated countless hours each year to successfully organize SAGE's Annual Student Map Contest, a highlight for El Dorado County schools, students, teachers and county staff; and,

WHEREAS, Rich has been a hands-on and hardworking County Surveyor with an effective communication style and a mind like a steel trap. There was rarely confusion on where he stood on important issues and his memory of projects past and present never ceased to amaze his staff; and,

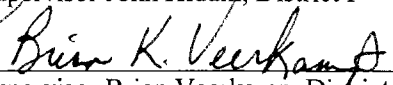
WHEREAS, having served the County of El Dorado with his commitment to excellent work and audacious zest for life, it is time for Rich and his wife Kathy to spend their days, Shirley-Temples in hand, traveling and enjoying time with their family and friends and fellow Shriners. Rich is well respected by his staff and colleagues and will be greatly missed.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED, that the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado recognizes and commends Richard "Rich" Briner for his many years of outstanding service to the County.

Passed by the El Dorado County Board of Supervisors at a regular meeting of said Board, held this 11th day of December, 2018.



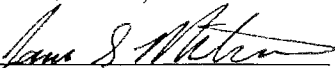
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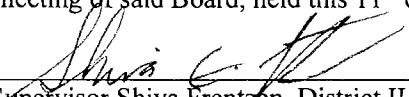


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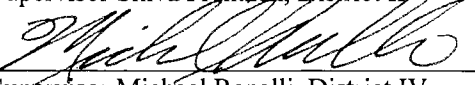
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James S. Mitrisin, Clerk of the Board

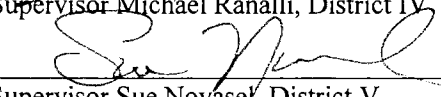




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Supervisor Michael Ranalli, District IV



Supervisor Sue Novasel, District V



PROCLAMATION

Proclamation of the El Dorado County Board of Supervisors Recognizing William E. "Bill" Schultz Recorder-Clerk ~ Registrar of Voters ~ Director of Veteran Affairs For 34 Years of Outstanding Public Service

WHEREAS, William "Bill" Schultz started his service with El Dorado County in 1974 and has since that time proven himself to be an outstanding public servant who is dedicated to his work and the citizens of El Dorado County; and,

WHEREAS, from 1974 through 1982 Bill held the following positions within El Dorado County's workforce: Service Unit Supervisor, County Airports Director, Purchasing Agent and Sheriff's Administrative Assistant; and,

WHEREAS, in March 1990, Bill was coerced back to El Dorado County to become the first Records Management Coordinator. While in this position Bill was instrumental in helping to set up the Records Management Center that is still in operation today; and,

WHEREAS, in 1994 the call for serving as an elected official was presented to Bill, as the current Recorder-Clerk retired. Bill decided to run for that open seat and lo' and behold, he won! He took office in January 1995 and is serving his 6th term in office. Since 1995, Bill has officiated approximately 800 civil marriage ceremonies; and,

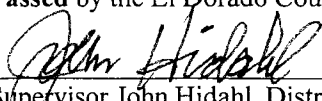
WHEREAS, during Bill's tenure here at El Dorado County, when a department or program was in need of a leader the Board looked in Bill's direction for filling that void and in true Bill "just get it done" fashion, he always stepped up and took on that new challenge; and,

WHEREAS, in 1996 the Board appointed Bill as the "Acting" General Services Director until they could run a recruitment and fill the position. In 2004 the Board appointed Bill as the Registrar of Voters and in November 2009 he was appointed the "Interim" Director over Veterans Affairs. It has been commented that Bill has the longest "Title" here in El Dorado County; and,

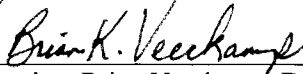
WHEREAS, Bill's service to the community is not just here with our El Dorado County family, he's a member of the Lions Club and was President in 1991-1992; he was a guiding force in creating the El Dorado County Veterans Monument; in 2018 he was named El Dorado County Veterans Commission's Veteran of the Year; he's an avid advocate for Autism Awareness, and if you think you could withstand a match of tennis with him, good luck, he's been referred to as a top notch tennis player, even for an 85-year-old gent!

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED, that the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado recognizes and commends William E. "Bill" Schultz for his many years of outstanding service to the County.

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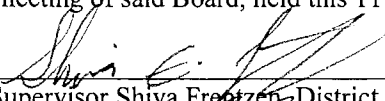
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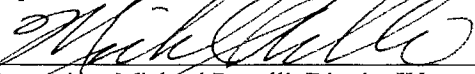
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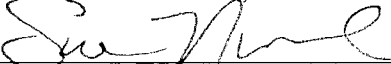




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PROCLAMATION

*Of the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado
In Recognition of C. L. Raffety, El Dorado County Treasurer-Tax Collector
For 33 Years of Outstanding Public Service*

WHEREAS, C. L. Raffety was appointed Treasurer-Tax Collector in 1985 and has, since that time, been elected by the citizens of El Dorado County to this office eight times to hold the distinction of being the longest-serving elected official in the history of El Dorado County; and,

WHEREAS, when Ms. Raffety assumed office, property taxes were paid in person or by mail with receipts manually prepared, until Ms. Raffety took on the challenge of automating virtually every process. Initially, cash registers were installed at the front counter customer service stations. Later, with the advent of the internet, online payments were made available to taxpayers; and,

WHEREAS, Ms. Raffety was responsible for transitioning the check deposit process from paper bundles of checks being transferred to the bank by courier to same-day electronic deposits transmitted securely to the bank. The result was reduced banking costs, increased efficiency and immediate availability of funds. Gone forever were the stacks of checks locked in the vault each night waiting to be processed and deposited; and,

WHEREAS, with consistently prudent and conservative investment practices over these many years, the adoption of a state-of-the-art investment management software system that allows for real-time investing, Ms. Raffety has led the County through two recessions with no investment losses. Her investment stewardship has contributed to the sound financial position of the County today; and,

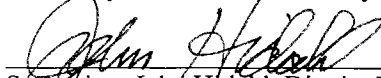
WHEREAS, as Past-President and former Board member of the California Association of Treasurer-Tax Collectors, Ms. Raffety's efforts extend beyond the borders of El Dorado County to the State level, where she has lobbied on important legislation that impacts our citizens. Legislative initiatives have included property tax postponement programs, cannabis banking, and property assessed clean energy programs; and,

WHEREAS, her heart belongs foremost in our County, as is evidenced by Ms. Raffety's work with the El Dorado County Citizens for Higher Education (formerly Citizens for a University). With Ms. Raffety as their tireless leader and strongest advocate, the Citizens work to bring higher educational opportunities to El Dorado County; and,

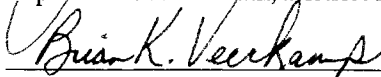
WHEREAS, the El Dorado County Treasurer-Tax Collector's Office today offers property owners, title companies and banks efficient, prompt on-line access to secured and unsecured tax amounts due, acceptance of on-line payments by credit cards and e-check, payments by mail, and friendly, in-person service at the counter.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED, that the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado recognizes and commends C. L. Raffety, CPA, MBA, for 33 years of fair, unbiased and just enforcement of the California State Revenue and Taxation Code on behalf of the Citizens of the County of El Dorado.

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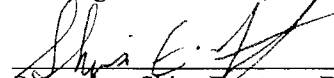
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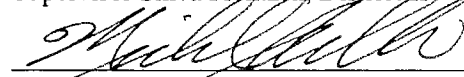
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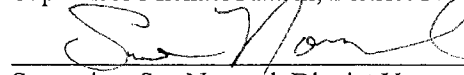




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