

## **Proclamation**

## OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF EL DORADO Recognizing May 28, 2018 as **Memorial Day**

## In Honor of Those Who Have Answered the Call to Defend our Freedom

WHEREAS, on this Memorial Day we remember all who have died, all who are still missing and all who mourn; and,

WHEREAS, on this Memorial Day especially, the citizens of El Dorado County remember our fallen sons and daughters who have given their lives defending freedom in all of our nation's conflicts; and,

WHEREAS, on this solemn day in which Americans unite in remembrance of our country's fallen, we also pray for our military personnel and their families, our veterans and all who have lost loved ones; and,

WHEREAS, as a grateful nation, we forever carry the selfless sacrifice of our fallen heroes in our hearts and we share the task of caring for those they left behind; and,

*WHEREAS*, it is our charge to preserve liberty, to advance justice and to sow the seeds of peace with courage and devotion worthy of the heroes we remember today, and to rededicate ourselves to those unending tasks.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED, that the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado does hereby proclaim Memorial Day, May 28, 2018, as a day of hope for permanent peace, and as a day for us to recommit to upholding the enduring principles that our country lives for and that our fellow citizens have fought and died for, and that above all, as a day for us to honor those we have lost by living up to the ideals they died defending.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting of said Board, held the 22nd day of May 2018.

Attest:

James S. Mitrisin

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

by:

Deputy Clerk

Supervisor Michael Ranalli

Chair, Board of Supervisors