



**Proclamation of the Board of Supervisors  
of the County of El Dorado  
Proclaiming May 27, 2013  
“Memorial Day”**

**In honor of those who answered the call  
to defend our freedoms**

**WHEREAS**, on this Memorial Day, we honor all of our fallen soldiers, their commitment to our country, and their legacy of patriotism and sacrifice.

**WHEREAS**, today, all who wear the uniform of the United States are serving at a crucial hour in history, and each has answered a the call to serve our Nation on the front lines of freedom.

**WHEREAS**, Memorial Day needs to be made relevant to both present and future generations. Greater strides should be made to demonstrate the appreciation and gratitude these loyal Americans deserve and to commemorate the ultimate sacrifice they made.

**WHEREAS**, we gather at the El Dorado County Veterans Monument, today, as we commend their deeds, we also bear a heavy burden of responsibility to ensure that their sacrifices will not have been in vain.

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT PROCLAIMED**, the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado call upon the citizens of El Dorado County to pray for the safety and strength of our troops, their families, and for those who have lost loved ones defending our freedoms.

**Passed and adopted** by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting, held the 21st day of May, 2013.

**Attest:**

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Clerk

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Chair, Board of Supervisors