



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

Celebrating 100 Years of University of California Cooperative Extension

WHEREAS, 2014 is the 100th anniversary of passage of the Smith-Lever Act, and the centennial year of University of California Cooperative Extension marking 100 years of science and service in our state, and 96 years in El Dorado county; and

WHEREAS, in a partnership with the County of El Dorado, University of California Cooperative Extension grew over the years to cover economic, agricultural, environmental and social health issues; and organized 4-H clubs in communities all over the county; and

WHEREAS, University of California Cooperative Extension has offered vital services to the county's farms, forests, youth, and communities, providing connections to science and research on local and global scales; empowering volunteers, creating new leaders, and preparing tomorrow's workforce; supporting producers, managers, and agencies by providing advice on critical natural resource and agricultural issues; and supporting economic, youth, and community development throughout the county; and

WHEREAS, over the years University of California Cooperative Extension has made its services available to all and has touched the lives of thousands of El Dorado County residents, improving their quality of life by extending research-based knowledge in an unbiased scientific manner; and

WHEREAS, the University of California Cooperative Extension looks forward to the next century of helping foster a thriving state, and El Dorado County that supports sustainable, safe, nutritious lifestyles and livelihoods; economic success in a global economy; a productive, well-stewarded environment; and solutions to complex problems today and into the future; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of El Dorado County wishes to congratulate the University of California Cooperative Extension office on the 100th anniversary of the Smith-Lever Act and wishes to express its gratitude for providing leadership and innovation through research, education, community resource development, and other services that UC Cooperative Extension and their volunteers have contributed to our county.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting, held the 15th day of April, 2014.

Attest:

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By _____
Deputy Clerk

Chair, Board of Supervisors