



Proclamation

*The Board of Supervisors for the County of El Dorado
Proclaim January 30, 2007, through April 4, 2007,
A Season for Nonviolence in the County of El Dorado*

Whereas, citizens throughout our county should strive each day to promote peaceful neighborhoods because our region and the entire nation continues to confront the challenge of violence in the form of hate crimes, brutality, domestic abuse and other forms of inhumanity which diminish the quality of life for all; and,

Whereas, an awareness of nonviolence principles and practices is a powerful way to heal and transform our lives and communities and to promote peace and harmony among all people; and,

Whereas, the principals and practices of nonviolence were exemplified in the lives and work of two international leaders: Mahatma Mohandas K. Gandhi and Rev. Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.; and,

Whereas, January 30, 2007, marks the anniversary of the assassination in India of Gandhi and April 4, 2007, marks the anniversary of the assassination in America of Dr. King; and,

Whereas, that period will be observed as a Season for Nonviolence in this county and hundreds of other locales and cities around the globe; and,

Whereas, the Board of Supervisors supports programs and projects conducted in the spirit of nonviolence during this season, urges all citizens to participate in local, national and global campaigns for nonviolence, and honors those who are committed to world peace and global harmony;

Now therefore be it proclaimed that the period from January 30, 2007, through April 4, 2007, is a Season for Nonviolence in the County of El Dorado.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting of said Board, held the 9th day of January, 2007.

ATTEST:

Cindy Keck

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

by

Deputy Clerk

Chairman, Board of Supervisors