



## PROCLAMATION

*Of the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado  
In Recognition and Celebration of*  
**IMAGINATION THEATER'S 75<sup>TH</sup> PERFORMANCE**

**WHEREAS**, in 2000, friends Peter Wolfe and Lanny Langston decided to put on a show for simply the joy of the process, and Imagination Theater was born in El Dorado County. For over twenty-three years, Imagination Theater has been producing quality, live community theater with the mission to “tell good stories well in an atmosphere of trust, respect, personal growth and challenge”; and

**WHEREAS**, Lanny and Peter had a simple vision to “meet people’s needs and be nice about it” which has translated into thousands of youth and adults having the opportunity to explore their gifts and talents on stage, making a high-quality theatrical experience accessible at a local level. It has also provided the opportunity for tens of thousands to see and experience a wide range of musicals, comedies, and dramas in the heart of El Dorado County; and

**WHEREAS**, Imagination Theater has consistently embodied excellence, not being content with status quo. Whether it is a complicated set that magically transforms before an audience, a live orchestra that accompanies the artists, whether it pours rain onstage or a show that is a mix of live action and screen, Imagination Theater continues to push the boundaries of artistic and creative expression; and

**WHEREAS**, in 2019, El Dorado County lost a creative genius and spark with the passing of Lanny Langston, leaving Imagination Theater in the capable hands of founding partner and artistic director Peter Wolfe and a dedicated board of directors. As they turn their sights to the future, Peter’s sole vision is to create a “permanent, appropriate performing arts venue in El Dorado County” which has a larger capacity and a dedicated space which community theater can thrive long into the future.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT PROCLAIMED**, that the El Dorado County Board of Supervisors does hereby congratulate Imagination Theater on their 75th performance with gratitude for the rich creative spark they have fueled in El Dorado County and with hopes that this important asset will continue to shine boldly within our community.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting of said Board, held the 2nd day of May, 2023.

**Attest:**

*Kim Dawson*

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

by:

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*Deputy Clerk*

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*Wendy Thomas*

*Chair, Board of Supervisors*