



**Proclamation**  
**of the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado**  
**Recognizing Bob Smart for his contributions**  
**while serving as the District Three Commissioner on the**  
**El Dorado County Parks and Recreation Commission**

**WHEREAS**, Bob Smart; citizen, forester, dedicated husband, father and grandpa is resigning from the El Dorado County Parks and Recreation Commission after thirteen years of service, and

**WHEREAS**, Bob is a practitioner of things many people just talk about. Bob believes in the use of the bicycle as a mode of transportation – he not only talks it, he lives it.

**WHEREAS**, with Bob’s leadership, political savvy and hard work, three sections of the El Dorado Trail were completed; the eastern extension of the trail in Camino, a segment within the City of Placerville, and the prominent section that includes the spectacular Weber Creek Railroad Bridge, and

**WHEREAS**, Bob had the foresight to encourage the El Dorado County Board of Supervisors to design the US 50 bridge over weber creek to accommodate a potential future bike path segment, and

**WHEREAS**, he inspired a group of County Supervisors to ride bikes from the County Government Center, down the Weber Creek Canyon to the Prospector’s Plaza shopping center on Missouri Flat Road, starting the annual tradition of the May is Bike Month “Great Bike Ride” which is now a decade strong, and

**WHEREAS**, Bob has been a consistent advocate and collaborator for complete streets, pedestrian and bicycle friendly community design, proven by his involvement in the development of several planning documents including the EDC Regional Transportation Plan, EDC Bicycle Transportation Plan and the DS-ED Area Mobility and Livability Plan, and

**WHEREAS**, with Bob’s leadership Sierra and Schnell Elementary schools in the City of Placerville began annual participation in Walk to School day, encouraging hundreds of children to participate in a healthy and fun activity with City Council members and community leaders, and

**WHEREAS**, Bob has consistently provided a voice of compromise between competing community groups and does so in a professional and courteous manner,

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT PROCLAIMED**, the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado are proud to recognize with much appreciation, the many years of service to the County as District Three’s Commissioner to the Parks and Recreation Commission.

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

**Attest:**

James S. Mitrisin  
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

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

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Norma Santiago, Chair, Board of Supervisors