



Proclamation
of the El Dorado County Board of Supervisors
Recognizing the Community Hub
in Supervisorial District 1

WHEREAS, El Dorado County (EDC) and its partnering agencies care about the health and wellbeing of our residents, and are committed to working together to build resiliency in families;

WHEREAS, currently, nearly 1 in 5 children in El Dorado County is exposed to at least two Adverse Childhood Experiences (ACEs) such as emotional, physical and sexual abuse or neglect; or challenges such as family violence, substance abuse, mental illness, divorce or incarceration;

WHEREAS, the greater the number of ACEs a child experiences, the increased likelihood of long-term, negative health outcomes; the best intervention builds resiliency in children through a trauma informed approach;

WHEREAS, Community Hubs seek to build family resiliency through collaborative, community-based prevention and early intervention services; Community Hubs are partners who provide prevention and early intervention strategies within our public libraries and neighborhoods to help strengthen communities and families in EDC.

WHEREAS, Community Hubs are a partnership between the First 5 El Dorado Commission, EDC Library, EDC Office of Education's Early Care and Education Planning Council and Child Abuse Prevention Council, EDC Health and Human Services Agency's Maternal Child and Adolescent Health Program and Mental Health Services Act Program;

WHEREAS, each Hub has a multi-disciplinary team that includes an Early Childhood Literacy Specialist, Family Engagement Specialist, Community Health Advocate and Public Health Nurse with the common goal to increase resiliency in families;

WHEREAS, each Hub offers activities focused on early literacy and reading, child development and parenting, and preventative health activities and services provided at no cost to the families;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED, that the El Dorado County Board of Supervisors recognizes the importance of the Community Hub in El Dorado Hills and its prevention and early intervention services for expectant parents and families with children ages 0 through 18 years of age living in Supervisorial District 1. The Board thanks the EDC Library for hosting the Hub site and all of the Hub partner agencies for their contributions to this project.

PASSED AND ADOPTED *by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting of said Board, held the 23rd day of January 2018.*

With Thanks and Appreciation from the El Dorado County Board of Supervisors.

Attest:

James S. Mitrising
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors
by:

Deputy Clerk

Michael Ranalli, Chair, Board of Supervisors