

PROCLAMATION

OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF EL DORADO

In Recognition of

Carolyn Brooks

For Her Outstanding Public Service

WHEREAS, Carolyn Brooks launched her career of almost four decades in education and library services in 1984 in San Jose, California, where she taught every grade from Pre-K through 12th; and

WHEREAS, Carolyn's tenure in El Dorado County began in 2007, when she was appointed Youth Services Librarian at the El Dorado Hills Branch Library, where she developed an outreach program serving 45 child care and preschool facilities and implemented new projects including Homework Center, Teen Council and Pirates@theLibrary; and

WHEREAS, through successive promotions in El Dorado County, Carolyn has served the library system as Branch Manager, Library Services Manager and Community/School Liaison, finally being appointed the County's Director of Library Services in January 2020; and

WHEREAS, Carolyn has fostered collaboration and developed partnerships with the California State Library, the El Dorado County Office of Education, the County's Health and Human Services Agency, Community Services Districts, First 5 El Dorado and local businesses; and

WHEREAS, Carolyn has devoted countless hours of her own time to improving her community through volunteer work on the Board of Directors of Motherlode Rehabilitation Entertprises, where she has served on its Human Resources, Public Relations, and Fund Development Committees.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Board of Supervisors for the County of El Dorado does, with appreciation and gratitude, recognize Carolyn Brooks for her long and significant contributions to the County and for a career throughout which she has exemplified the "Gold Standard in Public Service."

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting of said Board, held the 21st day of February, 2023.

Attest:

Kim Dawson

Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

By: Myra Schauffenlaus

Wendy Thomas, Chair, Board of Supervisors