



RESOLUTION NO.

OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF EL DORADO  
Resolution to Name an Unnamed Natural Peak in the Tahoe Basin  
“**GOLD STAR**” PEAK  
in Honor of Lake Tahoe’s Fallen Soldiers

**Whereas**, the United States of America has been involved in military combat in Afghanistan since 2001, and Iraq since 2003; and,

**Whereas**, the following are servicemen killed in action from the Tahoe Basin:

**PFC Phillip Brandon Williams**, USMC, 21, was killed in Iraq, October 9, 2006 and,

**Sergeant Timothy M. Smith**, USA, 25, died April 7, 2008 in Baghdad; and,

**Specialist Garrett Fant**, USA, 21, died September 26, 2011 in Afghanistan; and,

**Whereas**, it is right and just to honor those who honorably serve in defense of liberty and to provide special honor to those who have paid the ultimate sacrifice; and,

**Whereas**, there stands an unnamed natural peak in the Lake Tahoe Basin which serves well as such a purpose.

**Now, Therefore, be it Resolved**, that the Board of Supervisors, of the County of El Dorado, does herewith:

- (1) recognizes and remembers the valiant sacrifice of Brandon Williams, Timothy Smith, and Garret Fant;
- (2) encourages community efforts to properly memorialize those sacrifices; and,
- (3) supports the naming of the natural peak located in the Lake Tahoe Basin at Latitude 39 degrees 15 minutes 23.2 seconds West (39.25644 N) and Longitude 120 degrees 5 minutes 18.5 seconds North (120.08847 W) to be called “Gold Star Peak” in remembrance; and
- (4) requests the Board on Geographical Names to approve the naming of this natural feature and include it on all future federal publications.

**Passed and Adopted** by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting of said Board, held the 16<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2012, by the following vote of said Board:

Attest:  
Terri Daly  
Acting Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

Ayes:  
Noes:  
Absent :

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

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John R. Knight, Chair, Board of Supervisors

I CERTIFY THAT:  
THE FOREGOING INSTRUMENT IS A CORRECT COPY OF THE ORIGINAL ON FILE IN THIS OFFICE.

Attest: Terri Daly, Acting Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado, State of California. By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Clerk