

Proclamation OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTY OF EL DORADO

Recognizing Pierre Rivas, Principal Planner 23 Years of Public Service with El Dorado County Community Development Agency, Development Services Division

Whereas, Pierre Rivas was hired as an Associate Planner on January 15th, 1990, and was promoted that same year to Senior Planner, and then Principal Planner, leading projects like the General Plan from 1993 to 1996, the Bass Lake Hills Plan, and the Sierra Pacific Transportation Corridor update, to being a well-respected state and county expert on the Surface Mining and Reclamation Act; and,

Whereas, Pierre's journey to El Dorado County began in his hometown of Hollywood, finding him at the University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA) studying biology until he found his real interests in geography and environmental planning at the University of California, Santa Barbara; and,

Whereas, Pierre's experience and expertise at the county was well utilized in current, long range and environmental planning where he contributed to a broad reach of critical issues and their solutions from the Lake Tahoe Basin to many communities throughout the county; and,

Whereas, Pierre was a dedicated county employee by day and a devoted civil servant by night, serving as a Planning Commissioner and City Council member for the City of Placerville where he helped the city and its citizens shape a sustainable and prosperous future; and,

Whereas, ultimately, it was the City of Placerville who stole Pierre Rivas from the county, as the Director of the Development Services Department, where he can continue to serve the community and county he loves.

Now therefore be it resolved that the Board of Supervisors for the County of El Dorado does herewith extend to Pierre Rivas their great appreciation for the 23 years of public service as a planner, helping the county and its communities create a place where they can be most proud.

Passed by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting of said Board, held the 25th day of February, 2014.

Attest: James S. Mitrisin Clerk of the Board of Supervisors by: