

Proclamation

OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE COUNTYOF EL DORADO
Proclaiming the Month of October 2009

80th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION OF THE PLACERVILLE AIRPORT

Whereas, on March 20, 1929 the first airplane landed at Placerville Airport; and

Whereas, on November 13, 1929 a Stearman bi-plane was the first airplane to land at Placerville Airport for the purpose of providing transportation; and

Whereas, California has become a recognized leader in the aviation and aerospace industries and is the home of many firsts in aviation, home to many world renowned air and space pioneers, and home for numerous aviation and aerospace companies and concerns; and

Whereas, aviation is a vitally important economic engine and transportation source which connects El Dorado County to California's and the nation's global markets; and

Whereas, education and public awareness programs will foster improved relations between the public and aviation and aerospace industries; provide a foundation for the training of individuals to meet future personnel requirements of the industries and promote a greater understanding of the important role which aviation and aerospace plays in our lives; and

Whereas, the future of aviation is dependent upon a well-informed and educated populace, and this celebration of powered flight is also the celebration of the ingenuity and creativity of Americans, as well as America's contribution to air and space flight; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the El Dorado County Board of Supervisors does hereby proclaim the month of October 2009 as the 80TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE PLACERVILLE AIRPORT in El Dorado County, California.

Passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors, of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting of said Board, held the <u>22nd</u> day of <u>September</u>, 2009.

Attest:

Suzanne Allen de Sanchez Clerk of the Board of Supervisors By

Clerk of the Board

Chair, Board of Supervisors