





of the El Dorado County Board of Supervisors

Recognizing June 2017 as Wildfire Awareness Month

WHEREAS, wildfire is a serious threat to Lake Tahoe's environmental, social, and economic well-being; and

WHEREAS, visitors and residents of fire-prone communities at Lake Tahoe must take responsibility for living and recreating in high fire-hazard areas; and

WHEREAS, June 2017 is Wildfire Awareness Month and marks the 10-year anniversary of the Angora Fire; and

WHEREAS, people living and recreating at Lake Tahoe must take important precautions to help prevent wildfire ignitions; and

WHEREAS, residents and property owners at Lake Tahoe must create defensible space and take other important steps to create fire adapted communities and prepare in advance for Lake Tahoe's next wildfire; and

WHEREAS, partners on the Tahoe Fire and Fuels Team, including all the local fire protection districts, counties, and cities at Lake Tahoe, are asking people to Think First to Keep Tahoe Fire Safe;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED, that the El Dorado County Board of Supervisors recognizes June 2017 as Wildfire Awareness Month as a call to action for people to prevent wildfires and reduce wildfire risk by preparing their homes and communities.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting of said Board, held the  $g^h$  day of May, 2017.

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

Attest:

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