



PROCLAMATION
Of the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado
In Recognition of Fire Chief Dave Roberts

WHEREAS, Chief Dave Roberts became a volunteer firefighter for the El Dorado Hills Fire Department in 1991 and subsequently was hired as a paid firefighter in 1993, and thereafter continued his education by receiving the California State Fire Officer and Chief Officer certifications, and a Bachelor's Degree in Occupational Studies in Emergency Services, and

WHEREAS, Chief Roberts came up through the ranks in the El Dorado Hills Fire Department having held every line position, obtained his paramedic license, then held almost every administrative officer position and was ultimately promoted to Fire Chief in May of 2011, and

WHEREAS, Chief Roberts organized the first Community Driven Strategic Plan for the El Dorado Hills Fire Department to reduce costs and balance the budget, without imposing any lay-offs, during the worst financial crisis since the Great Depression, and

WHEREAS, Chief Roberts arranged several different contracts for service with neighboring fire agencies and negotiated a full annexation of the Latrobe Fire Protection District including concurrent AB-8 tax rate realignment, and

WHEREAS, Chief Roberts added the role of Rescue Fire Department's Chief as part of a job-sharing agreement with the neighboring Rescue Fire District as a mutually beneficial cost savings measure, and

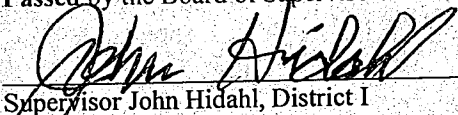
WHEREAS, Chief Roberts spearheaded an effort to improve County wide dispatching technology and communications with Cal Fire which has facilitated multiple system enhancements, and

WHEREAS, Chief Roberts has been instrumental in the redesign of the Fire Department's development fee program and the fixed rate JPA ambulance contract with El Dorado County, and

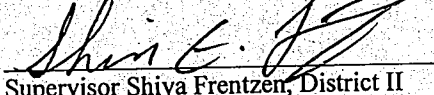
WHEREAS, after over 30 years of outstanding customer service to the community, and for leading by example in following the core values of the El Dorado Hills Fire Department of: 1) Integrity First, 2) Service Before Self and 3) Excellence in All They Do, Chief Roberts will be retiring on June 25, 2018.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED, that the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado does hereby recognize and honor Chief Dave Roberts for the manner in which he has performed his duties as a member of the El Dorado Hills Fire Department, with special thanks for his professionalism, dedication to service and kindness to the members of the public.

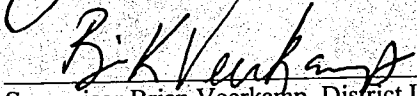
Passed by the Board of Supervisors of the County of El Dorado at a regular meeting of said Board, held this 12th day of June, 2018.



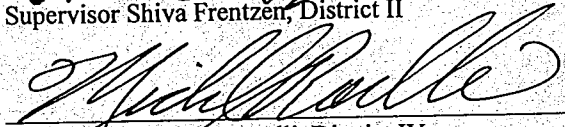
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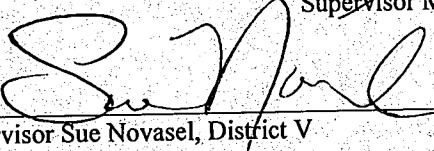
Supervisor Shiva Frentzen, District II



Supervisor Brian Veerkamp, District III



Supervisor Michael Ranalli, District IV



Supervisor Sue Novasel, District V

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

