

**Recorder-Clerk Overview** February 2, 2021

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El Dorado County Recorder-Clerk



### **Purpose**

The office of the Recorder-Clerk ensures that a vital link to the past is maintained for future generations by processing and preserving legal documents while providing public access to flawless and accurate records within the County.

The County Recorder is responsible for examination and recording of documents presented to the office that deal with real property in the County or as required by local, state and federal law. Official Records are recorded, scanned, indexed and stored. The public may search, view and purchase a copy of these records.

The County Clerk is the officer charged with filing, preserving and maintaining records relating to public filings as required by statute.

The Recorder-Clerk strives to provide efficient and cost-effective services to customers while maintaining the highest degree of public trust.

### Vision, Mission & Core Values

TO BE LEADERS (BY EXAMPLE)
IN CUSTOMER SATISFACTION,
EMPLOYEE KNOWLEDGE &
EMPOWERMENT, AND TO SERVE
WITH HONESTY & INTEGRITY.

#### Growth & Development

We continue to increase in learning both personally and professionally.

#### Adaptability

We embrace change with positivity & optimism.

#### Ownership

We take responsibility to fulfill the duties of the Recorder-Clerk through personal accountability.

Vision Mission TO SERVE EACH PERSON IN OUR COMMUNITY WITH DIGNITY, RESPECT, TRANSPARENCY & PROFESSIONALISM.

Core

Values

#### Integrity

We provide courteous, transparent and efficient services.

#### Communication

We are dedicated to open, honest and trustworthy communication.

#### Equity

We acknowledge that all people and situations are unique, and each will be met with care, trust, and consideration.

### **Organizational Chart**

Recorder-Clerk Total FTE: 14 Budget Assistant 2020/2021: Recorder-Clerk \$1.7 Million (Negative Net County Cost) Locations: Recorder-Clerk Placerville & Fiscal Assistant I/II Supervisor South Lake Tahoe Sr. Recorder Document Recorder Document Exam/Indexer I/II Exam/Indexer I/II 8 FTE 2 FTE

### **Duties & Responsibilities**

#### Recorder

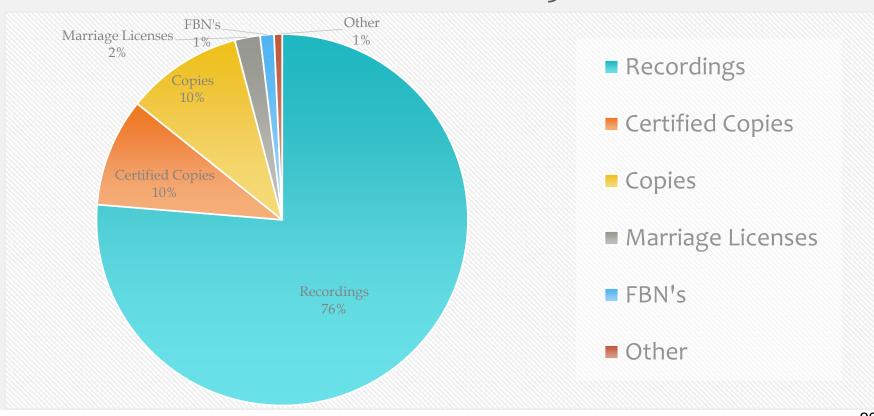
- Real Property Records deeds, leases, notices of completion
- Financing Documents deeds of trust, notices of default, reconveyances, financing statements
- > Maps subdivisions, parcel divisions, surveys
- Mining Claim Records notices of location, proofs of labor
- > Military Discharge Papers (DD214)
- > Mechanics' & Tax Liens
- > Issues Certified Copies of Vital Records

#### Clerk

- Issuing Marriage Licenses public & confidential
- > Filing Fictitious Business Name Statements (FBN's)
- Notary Public Registrations public oaths and commissions, notary bonds, maintains record books
- Environmental Documents & Powers of Attorney
- > Roster for Public Agencies
- > Performing Civil Marriage Ceremonies
- > Oaths of Office

### **Volume Comparison**

2020 – Total Transactions – 100,939 Overall Increase of 30%



### **Projects**



#### **SOFTWARE**

We successfully implemented our new software system Tyler Eagle, August 31, 2020. We completed this project in record time (6 months) & under budget.



#### **OFFICE SPACE**

Phase 2 of our office reconfiguration was completed in December 2020. We now have a highly efficient & functional office that serves the community to the best of our ability.



#### **MAP PROJECT**

We are working on a more efficient way to store, maintain & preserve our maps to make sure they will be available for future generations to come.



#### **FEE STUDY**

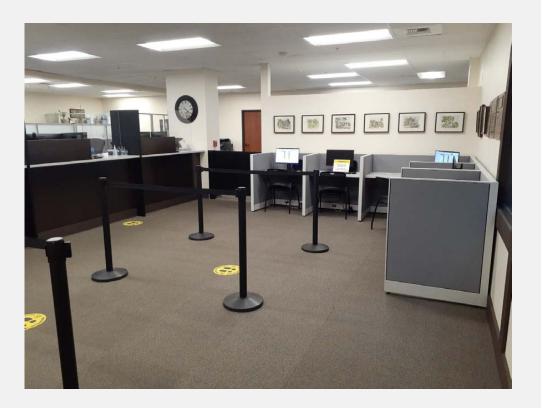
As promised, after implementing our new software system, beginning March 2021, we will start conducting a new study to verify we are in line with the County's goals.

#### BEFORE



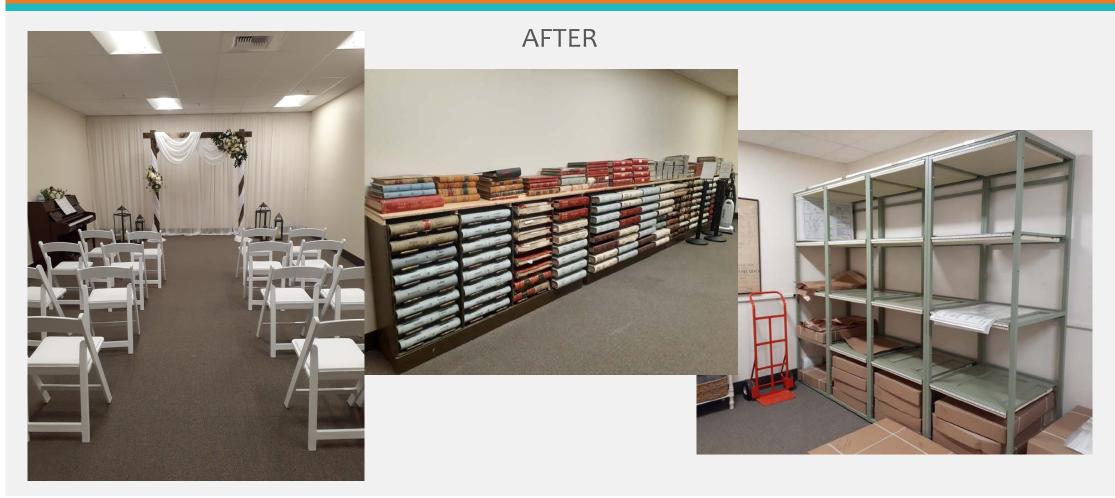
#### **AFTER**





#### BEFORE





### Goals



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Questions?

