A PROCLAMATION OF THE PLACERVILLE CITY COUNCIL IN RECOGNITION OF BRIAN VEERKAMP FOR HIS EXCEPTIONAL SERVICE AS DISTRICT III SUPERVISOR ON THE EL DORADO COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

WHEREAS, Brian Veerkamp's legacy of service and commitment to El Dorado County runs deep; as a descendant of two pioneer families, Brian's great uncle served on the Board of Supervisors from 1919 to 1934. Following in his footsteps, Brian was first elected to the El Dorado County Board of Supervisors, District III, in 2013, serving two terms until December 2020; and

WHEREAS, Brian values education, holding a Bachelor of Science Degree in Business Administration and a minor in Economics from California State University, Sacramento with Associate Degrees in Fire Technology and General Studies; and

WHEREAS, Brian has dedicated his life to community service, serving for thirty years in Public Emergency Services with his last position as the Fire Chief of the El Dorado Hills Fire Department. Furthermore, Brian has served on numerous community boards of directors including the Camino School District, the El Dorado County Fire Chief's Association, Rotary Club, Kiwanis, the Marshall Hospital Foundation for Community Health, and most recently, the Marshall Hospital Board of Directors, the El Dorado County Emergency Services Authority JPA and the El Dorado County Irrigation District board, among others; and

WHEREAS, Brian's service on the El Dorado County Board of Supervisors has left a lasting legacy where he spearheaded such initiatives as developing a county-wide Strategic Plan, instituting a critical Vegetation Management Ordinance, aligning our county's response to homelessness with available funding, piloting creative solutions to seasonal harvest traffic while diligently supporting the work of community nonprofit organizations. Additionally, Brian's accomplishments extended to other local and regional agencies where he served as chairman of the Sacramento Area Council of Governments (SACOG), the El Dorado County Transportation Commission, the Transit Authority, the Water Agency, as well as chairman of the Board of Supervisors:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED that the Placerville City Council does, with appreciation and gratitude, recognize Brian Veerkamp for his lifetime of service in our community and on the El Dorado County Board of Supervisors.

Date: January 26, 2021	
Mayor Dennis Thomas	Vice-Mayor Kara Taylor
Councilmember Patty Borelli	Councilmember Jackie Neau
Councilmember Michael Saragosa	
IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Placerville to be affixed this 26th day of January, 2021.	
ATTEST:	(City Seal)
Regina O'Connell, City Clerk	