



**A PROCLAMATION OF THE CITY COUNCIL  
OF THE CITY OF PLACERVILLE RECOGNIZING  
EDWIN MATHEWS FOR HIS 50 YEARS OF SERVICE TO  
THE ROTARY CLUB OF PLACERVILLE**

- WHEREAS:** Edwin Mathews joined the Rotary Club of Placerville on August 1, 1972, and attended his first Rotary meeting at the Blue Bell Café in downtown Placerville; and
- WHEREAS:** This meeting led to a lifetime of service to Placerville and the surrounding community; and
- WHEREAS:** Ed was involved in multiple projects around the city including projects at Benham Park, development at Bennett Park, fundraising and creation of Joe's Skate Park at the fairgrounds, the Welcome to Placerville signs, the caboose restoration, Lumsden Park development, Main Street bench placement and restoration, and continued development of Rotary Park; and
- WHEREAS:** Ed served as President of the Rotary Club of Placerville in the 1979-1980 Rotary year and was membership chair from 2018-2021; and
- WHEREAS:** In addition to Rotary, Ed has served on the board of the Boys and Girls Club, as board member and past President of the Marshall Hospital Board of Trustees, as past President of the El Dorado County Chamber of Commerce, and as treasurer of the Episcopal Church of Placerville:

**NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Kara Taylor, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Placerville, do hereby recognize Edwin Mathews for his dedicated service to Rotary International, the Rotary Club of Placerville, and the City of Placerville.

Dated: August 9, 2022

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Mayor Kara M. Taylor

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the City of Placerville to be affixed this 9th day of August, 2022.

ATTEST:

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Regina O'Connell, CPMC, City Clerk