

THE CITY OF ELK GROVE

RECOGNIZES AND APPRECIATES

Cosumnes River College *50th Anniversary ~ 1970-2020*

WHEREAS, Cosumnes River College opened its doors on September 14, 1970 with almost 2,000 students taking day and evening classes, tasked with providing high quality education to the residents of the south Sacramento County region - and over the last half century, Cosumnes River College has educated more than a quarter of a million students; and

WHEREAS, Cosumnes River College has become one of the most ethnically diverse two-year public colleges in the country, actively addressing racial inequalities in higher education, and respecting and acknowledging the original indigenous people pursuing an ongoing relationship with the Miwok and Nisenan people; and

WHEREAS, Cosumnes River College continues to provide groundbreaking innovative solutions to ensure each student that attends classes at the campus is ready to transfer and/or begin a career, including the establishment of the Elk Grove Center where students can fulfill their goal of transferring by completing all of their general education courses in a smaller environment; and

WHEREAS, Cosumnes River College looks forward to providing another 50 years of quality education and providing support to our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of the City of Elk Grove hereby extends its congratulations and recognizes the 50th anniversary of Cosumnes River College and its role in educating the residents of Elk Grove, providing community resources, and delivering a well-educated workforce to support a better economic future to its students and their families.

SIGNED this 18th day of November, 2020.

STEVE LY, MAYOR

STEVEN M. DETRICK, VICE MAYOR

PATRICK HUME, COUNCIL MEMBER

STEPHANIE NGUYEN, COUNCIL MEMBER

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