

City of El Paso de Robles Proclamation

FRIENDS OF THE PASO ROBLES LIBRARY

W*/HEREAS, Friends of the Paso Robles Library was founded in 1978, and is celebrating its 25th anniversary; and*

W*/HEREAS, Friends of the Library was founded—and operates—on an entirely voluntary basis; and*

W*/HEREAS, Friends of the Library holds semi-annual book sales and operates the Friends Store to raise money for library support; and*

W*/HEREAS, Friends of the Library was instrumental in securing funding and community support for the construction of a new library building that opened in 1995; and*

W*/HEREAS, money raised by Friends of the Library has been used to add thousands of books and other materials to the library shelves, funds all library online reference databases, and supports children's programs, including Grandparents and Books; and*

W*/HEREAS, Friends of the Library champions the importance of library service to our community.*

N*OW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED* that I, Frank Mecham, Mayor of the City of El Paso de Robles, speaking on behalf of the entire City Council, do hereby encourage all citizens to recognize the **25th ANNIVERSARY** of **FRIENDS OF THE PASO ROBLES LIBRARY**, acknowledging their gifts of time, talents and resources for the betterment of our community.

I*N WITNESS WHEREOF, on this 29th day of April 2003, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Paso Robles to be affixed.*

Frank R. Mecham, Mayor