

# *City of El Paso de Robles*

## *Proclamation*

### **CALIFORNIA HISTORY WEEK**

*sept ember 7 - 13, 2003*

**W***HEREAS*, California received its statehood on September 9 1850 and this deserves to be celebrated as a state holiday; and

**W***HEREAS*, Californians desire to preserve the rich history and multicultural heritage of the Great State of California and its people; and

**W***HEREAS*, California State Legislature voted in August 1999 to designate the week surrounding September 9<sup>th</sup> of every year as California History week, with special emphasis on September 9<sup>th</sup>, Admission Day; and

**W***HEREAS*, the Order of the Native Daughters of the Golden West is a fraternal and patriotic organization, whose assistance was significant in bring about this designation, and San Miguel Parlor No. 94 is the local affiliate of the Native Daughters of the Golden West; and

**W***HEREAS*, the Order honors California by promoting study of its state history, marking and restoring historic monuments, assisting in restoring its system of missions, conserving redwoods and pines and preserving early day relics and traditions.

**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 declare the Week of September 7 - 13, 2003 as **CALIFORNIA HISTORY WEEK** in the City of Paso Robles, and call upon all citizens to give thought to the history, grandeur, diversity and opportunities that California provides.

**I***N WITNESS WHEREOF*, on this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August 2003, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Paso Robles to be affixed.

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*Frank R. Mecham, Mayor*