

City of El Paso de Robles

PROCLAMATION

STATE OF CALIFORNIA SKILLSUSA COMPETITION, APRIL 2010

WHEREAS, Skills USA is a non-profit organization of educators and industry serving over 300,000 students prepare for careers in trade, technical and skilled service occupations; and

WHEREAS, Skills USA includes 1,300 school chapters in 54 states and territories; California is divided into 6 regions; and

WHEREAS, The Paso Robles High School Chapter of Skills USA is part of California's Region II, which includes school chapters from 9 Counties: Alameda, Contra Costa, Monterey, San Benito, San Francisco, San Luis Obispo, San Mateo, Santa Clara, and Santa Cruz; and

WHEREAS, SkillsUSA prepares America's high performance workers, providing quality education experiences for students in leadership, teamwork, citizenship, and character development; and builds and reinforces self-confidence, work attitudes, and communication skills; and

WHEREAS, SkillsUSA programs include local, state, and national competitions, providing a showcase for the best career and technical students in the nation, in which students demonstrate occupational and leadership skills, emphasizing high ethical standards, superior work skills, life-long education, and pride in the dignity of work; and

WHEREAS, Paso Robles students recently competed in the Region II Skills USA competition distinguishing themselves, their instructors, Paso Robles High School, and the City of Paso Robles by accomplishing the following:

WHEREAS, in April 2010, 47 students from the Paso Robles High School Occupational Program competed at the 43rd California SkillsUSA Conference in Riverside, California, garnering 14 Gold Medals, 13 Silver Medals and 4 Bronze Medals; and earning the right to represent the State of California at the SkillsUSA National Championships in Kansas City, Missouri, during the week of June 20 to 24, 2010.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Duane Picanco, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor, and speaking behalf of the entire City Council, do hereby extend sincere congratulations to the students and staff of our High School Occupational Program on their successful performance at the 2010 State of California SkillsUSA Competition, and call upon all citizens to give public recognition of the enthusiasm, diligence, and self-discipline of the young people participating in this program and the advisors who give of their time and knowledge to make SkillsUSA possible.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, on this the 4th day of May 2010, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Paso Robles to be affixed.



Duane Picanco, Mayor
City of El Paso de Robles