

# City of El Paso de Robles

## PROCLAMATION

### Greig Welch Retirement

*Whereas, Greig Welch is retiring from the Paso Robles School District after 38 years of extraordinarily dedicated, impactful and appreciated service; and*

*Whereas, Greig was born in Paso Robles, attended local elementary schools, is a graduate of Paso Robles High School, Cuesta College and Cal Poly; and*

*Whereas, Mr. Welch has touched the lives of numerous generations of Paso Robles residents, beginning in 1977, where he embarked on an amazing career track that positively affected Paso Robles students in a number of ways: In addition to teaching he coached football, baseball and track; acted as Athletic Director from 1980-1981; was appointed to Assistant Principal for Paso Robles High School from 1986-1991; was the Principal at Flamson Middle School from 1991-1997 and the Principal at PRHS from 1997-2005.*

*Whereas, Greig's dedication and skills led him to the Paso Robles Unified School District, where he began as the Director of Alternative Education from 2005-2006 and was the Assistant Superintendent of Personnel from 2006-2011; and*

*Whereas, Mr. Welch has been recognized for his exceptional work ethic and dedication, earning many awards by his peers, including: Paso Robles Public Schools Administrator of the Year, ASCA High School Administrator of the Year, Cuesta College Alumnus of the Year, EOP Community Volunteer of the Year and Paso Robles Roblan of the Month; and*

*Whereas, Greig's dedication to the community extended well beyond the boundaries of education and offered his considerable wisdom to many local organizations, including: California Leadership, FFA, PAC 5 Athletic League, PRHS Athletic Foundation, Bearcat Boosters, PR Parks and Rec Advisory Committee, Cal Poly Continuing Education Steering Committee, Paso Robles Youth Task Force, Paso Robles Chamber of Commerce and Twin Cities Community Hospital, among others;*

*Whereas, Greig Welch's positive impact on the Paso Robles community leaves a legacy to celebrate. Through his leadership skills, integrity, compassion, dedication and humor he has made a difference in many lives throughout Paso Robles Public Schools and in our community.*

**NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED** that I, City of Paso Robles Mayor Duane Picanco, on behalf of the City Council, encourage all Paso Robles residents, past and present, to join us in celebrating the incredible career and enduring legacy of Greig Welch, may his retirement bring him great joy and much winning Bearcat football.

*In witness whereof, on the 18<sup>th</sup> day of October 2011, I have herunto 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