

City of El Paso de Robles

PROCLAMATION

National Volunteer Week

April 21-27, 2013

WHEREAS, volunteerism is the backbone of civic engagement, teaching us that government alone cannot solve our nation's social problems; and

WHEREAS, the experience of volunteering enriches the lives of giver and recipient; and

WHEREAS, city staff acknowledges that volunteerism helps to position the city for the opportunities and challenges of tomorrow; and

WHEREAS, in 2012, the assistance of over 500 city volunteers helped staff provide impressive service levels across a variety of programs; and

WHEREAS, in 2012, nearly 29,000 hours were logged—the equivalent of 14 full time employees with an estimated annual value of \$696,000;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Duane Picanco, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Paso Robles, and speaking in behalf of all our citizens and with deep appreciation for your commitment to community, do hereby proclaim April 21-27, 2013 as National Volunteer Week in Paso Robles, and urge my fellow citizens to discover the power of volunteerism.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, on the 16th Day of April, 2013

*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