

COSUMNES COMMUNITY SERVICES DISTRICT

PROCLAMATION SEPTEMBER AS FIREFIGHTER APPRECIATION MONTH

WHEREAS, the Cosumnes Community Services District recognizes the benefits derived from the hard work, sacrifice, and unwavering dedication that fire service members have contributed throughout this country, including the communities of Elk Grove and Galt; and

WHEREAS, the Cosumnes Fire Department is committed to saving lives and protecting the community through prevention, preparedness, and emergency response in a timely, courteous, and effective manner; and

WHEREAS, the role of a firefighter today is one of dedication, commitment, sacrifice, and willingness to put their lives on the line; and

WHEREAS, firefighters continue to play an integral role in protecting the health and wellbeing of our community members, preventing and preparing for the emergencies when they arise; and

WHEREAS, on September 11, 2023, members from the Cosumnes Fire Department will participate in the 9/11 Memorial Climb in Sacramento to honor and remember the 343 fire personnel that paid the ultimate sacrifice and had their lives taken from them 22 years ago; and

WHEREAS, on October 14, 2023, members from the Cosumnes Fire Department will join hundreds of firefighters at the 21st Anniversary of the California Firefighters Memorial in Sacramento's Capitol Park to honor the fallen members of the fire service; and

NOW, THEREFORE, the Cosumnes Community Services District Board of Directors do hereby proclaim the month of September as Firefighter Appreciation Month and urges all community members to honor the firefighters who paid the ultimate sacrifice for those they served.

DONE AND PROCLAIMED this 6th day of September 2023, in Elk Grove, California.



Gil Albani, President



Jim Luttrell, Vice President



Peter Sakaris, Director





Orlando Fuentes, Director



Phil Lewis, General Manager/ CEO

ATTEST: