



Resolution

of the City Council

Recognizing the 15th Anniversary of the Sacramento Children's Chorus

WHEREAS, the Sacramento Children's Chorus, comprised of 160 singers as members of five choirs, ages seven through eighteen, representing all ethnic and religious backgrounds from a variety of educational organizations celebrated its fifteenth anniversary on April 13, 2008; and

WHEREAS, enhancing the lives of children through excellence in choral music is the goal of the organization, dedicating itself to the musical education of all children in the Sacramento metropolitan area; and

WHEREAS, the Sacramento Children's Chorus has made a positive contribution to the artistic climate in the Sacramento community by performing with the Sacramento Symphony, the Sacramento Opera Company; the Sacramento Ballet Company, the Sacramento Choral Society and Orchestra, the Sacramento Mastersingers, and other choral organizations in the Sacramento area; and

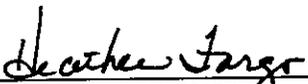
WHEREAS, the Sacramento Children's Chorus has performed at significant civic events, including two California Governors' inaugurations, dignitaries' funerals, the M.I.N.D. institute, Sacramento Firefighters' memorials, Sacramento River Cats games, and the Sacramento area chapter of the Red Cross; and

WHEREAS, the individual members of the Sacramento Children's Chorus have acted as artistic goodwill ambassadors for Sacramento on foreign tours to England, France, the Czech Republic, Hungary, Norway, Sweden and Canada; and

WHEREAS, the Sacramento Children's Chorus has been honored by being chosen to sing at the American Choral Director's Association's Regional Conference in Hawaii in 2002; at the ACDA National Conference in Los Angeles in 2005, was chosen to participate in the International Choral Competition in Kathaumiux, Canada in 2006; and was selected to participate in a performance of Handel's "Messiah" in 2005 at Carnegie Hall, New York.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the City of Sacramento, that we do hereby heartily recognize the founders, directors, conductors, Board of Directors, artistic and executive staff, and all the children, past and present, of the Sacramento Children's Chorus on this, the occasion of its fifteenth anniversary, with best wishes for many years to come.

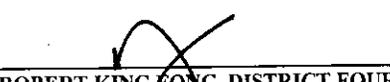
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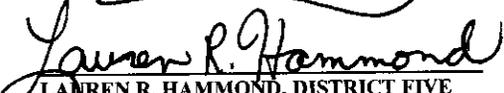

HEATHER FARGO, MAYOR

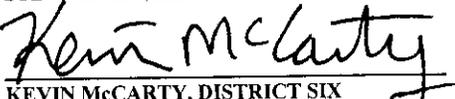

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