



Resolution

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of the City Council

**Recognizing Nancy Thompson and Paul Townsend
For Their Contributions to the Restoration of Longview Oaks Nature Area**

WHEREAS, the City of Sacramento received a Habitat and Restoration Grant from the California Department of Water Resources for the Longview Oaks Nature Area at Del Paso Regional Park; and

WHEREAS, the work performed with funding from this grant was undertaken through a partnership between the City of Sacramento Parks and Recreation Department and the California Native Plant Society; and

WHEREAS, two members of the California Native Plant Society – Nancy Thompson and Paul Townsend – gave selflessly of their time and energies to make this project a success; and

WHEREAS, among their many contributions, Nancy Thompson and Paul Townsend helped the City to plan and design an effective restoration project; organized a volunteer tree planting day; worked with students and faculty from American River College to cultivate interest in this site; monitored tree growth and native flowers; and hand-watered 100 oak seedlings once a month through the summer of 2003; and

WHEREAS, without their assistance, stewardship, and commitment, the Longview Oaks Restoration Project would not have been the success it is today.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the City of Sacramento, that we do hereby recognize and commend Nancy Thompson and Paul Townsend for their outstanding contributions to the restoration of Longview Oaks Nature Area and for their ongoing involvement with this site, which has become a treasure for Sacramento’s park system.

ISSUED: This 7th Day of September 2004.

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