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Proclamation Honoring George Loosli Eagle Scout Recipient

WHEREAS, the City of Oakley, a place for families in the heart of the Delta, takes pride in its sense of community and citizen involvement; and

WHEREAS, the vision of the Boy Scouts of America is to prepare every eligible youth in America to become responsible, participating citizens and leaders, who are guided by the Scout Oath and Law; and

WHEREAS, the Boy Scouts of America encourage Eagle Scout candidates to complete worthy projects to improve their neighborhoods, their community and the region; and

WHEREAS, this is the highest award a scout can receive; few boys move up through the ranks of scouting and only about 2% make it all the way to Eagle; and

WHEREAS, George is a recent graduate of Freedom High School and currently attends college at Sacramento State; and

WHEREAS, for his Eagle Scout service project, George directed a large group of volunteers to create planter boxes and a paved area to supplement the garden for the students at Laurel Elementary School; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his 33 merit badges, George had 110 nights of camping and over 250 community service hours as a scout; and

WHEREAS, George is a genuine leader in the troop that the younger scouts and his peers look up to and respect.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Doug Hardcastle, Mayor of the City of Oakley, do hereby honor George Loosli of Boy Scout Troop 298 on his achievement of attaining the rank of Eagle Scout, the highest rank in Boy Scouts.

Dated: January 13, 2015

Doug Hardcastle, Mayor