

**BEFORE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF THE
COUNTY OF AMADOR, STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

IN THE MATTER OF:

RESOLUTION HONORING ROBIN PETERS
AS RECIPIENT OF THE 2017 MARGARET
DALTON GOLDEN ACORN AWARD

RESOLUTION NO. 17-018

WHEREAS, Robin Peters was born in Stockton but moved to Sutter Creek with his family in 1963; and

WHEREAS, Robin enjoyed hunting, fishing and exploring in many inaccessible areas of the County with his father, who worked for PG&E and was able to gain that access through his contacts; and

WHEREAS, Robin was exposed to community service in high school by attending planning commission meetings with his father when he was required to attend; and

WHEREAS, Robin graduated from engineering school and went to work for a local geotechnical firm, and also joined the Sutter Creek Volunteer Fire Department gaining another peek at community service; and

WHEREAS, Robin and his friend, Ed Arata, who is a local authority of the Mother Lode and the Knight Foundry, decided to take over the Foundry in 1992, when new owners were needed to keep it in operation, so, along with their wives, formed a corporation and a non-profit hoping to preserve the facility, yet, although popular with history buffs, the commercial operation could not be made self-sustaining; and

WHEREAS, Robin was awarded a seat on the Sutter Creek Planning Commission after his wife, Susan, stepped down, serving for many years while learning more and more about local government; and

WHEREAS, in 2012 Robin gained a seat on the Sutter Creek City Council and found ways to support local history by working on projects like the Central Eureka Minehead, Miner's Bend, the Sutter Creek Grammar School restoration, the Knight Foundry acquisition and the rehabilitation of Minnie Provis Park by the Jackson Rancheria, with gratitude to be a part of the process of improving his own community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Amador, State of California, does hereby recognize Robin Peters as Recipient of the 2017 Margaret Dalton Golden Acorn Award.

The foregoing resolution was duly passed and adopted by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Amador at a regular meeting thereof, held on the 28th day of February 2017, by the following vote:

AYES:	Lynn A. Morgan, Patrick Crew, Frank U. Axe, and Brian Oneto
NOES:	None
ABSENT:	Richard M. Forster



Lynn A. Morgan, Vice Chairman, Board of Supervisors

ATTEST:

JENNIFER BURNS, Clerk of the
Board of Supervisors, Amador County,
California


Deputy