

Proclamation of the City of El Paso de Robles

40th ANNIVERSARY – ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION December 9, 2005

WHEREAS, the Economic Opportunity Commission of San Luis Obispo County, Inc. was established by Congressional decree and then by the County Board of Supervisors on December 9, 1965, as San Luis Obispo County's official Community Action Agency; and

WHEREAS, the Economic Opportunity Commission is a private nonprofit public benefit corporation dedicated to eliminating the causes of poverty by assisting low-income individuals and families to build the skills needed for stability and greater self-sufficiency, gain access to new opportunities, and achieve economic independence through an array of community-based programs and actions, serving 35,000 low-income persons by working in partnership with volunteers, county government, city government, the private sector, and low-income populations throughout San Luis Obispo County; and

WHEREAS, the Economic Opportunity Commission is directly responsible for service planning and delivery of community programs, including Early Head Start, Head Start, Migrant and Seasonal Head Start, State Migrant Child Care, State Preschool, State General Child Care, Child Care Resource Connection, Energy Conservation/Weatherization Services, Health Services, including Clinical, Health Education and Youth Development Programs, Emergency Services, Homeless Shelter and Support Services, Adult Day Services, and Parent Education and Child Abuse Prevention Services; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Frank Mecham, Mayor of the City of El Paso de Robles, on behalf of the City Council, do hereby officially acknowledge and congratulate the **ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY COMMISSION** on the occasion of its **40TH ANNIVERSARY**.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, on this 1st day of November 2005, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the City of Paso Robles to be affixed.

Frank R. Mecham, Mayor