

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF LAKE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

Proclamation

**Recognizing the Retirement of Melissa Fulton and Honoring
Her Many Years of Outstanding Service to Lake County**

WHEREAS, Melissa Fulton has passionately served alongside citizens, municipalities and business owners since October 1990 to create and promote a healthy climate for business and commerce throughout Lake County.

WHEREAS, as Executive Director and Chief Executive Officer of the Chamber of Commerce, Melissa Fulton's dedicated over twenty seven years to ardently promote and advocate for the best interests of our business community.

WHEREAS, Melissa Fulton has represented the interests of commerce within Lake County through leadership over and participation on numerous Boards and Committees including, but not limited to:

Lake County Economic Development Corporation Board of Directors
Lake County Rodeo Association Board of Directors
Rotary Club of Lakeport
Lakeport Main Street Association Board of Directors
Lakeport Economic Development Advisory Committee (LEDAC)

WHEREAS, Melissa Fulton's exuberance, leadership excellence and overall spirit contributed significantly to successful events and promotions intended to attract tourists and businesses. Her hands-on role significantly contributed to the success of Lake County exhibits for the California State Fair.

WHEREAS, Melissa Fulton advocated for the County's Certified Tourism Ambassador (CTA) program. Ultimately, her tenacity and operational oversight led to the County's CTA Chapter being the only chapter in the national network that is run by an all-volunteer group.

WHEREAS, Melissa Fulton's dedication is an excellent example to her employees, business owners and volunteers. We applaud her many contributions, expertise, compassion and generosity.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT PROCLAIMED, that the Board of Supervisors of the County of Lake does hereby express its sincere appreciation and gratitude to Melissa Fulton for her years of dedicated service and wishes her the very best in her retirement.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this thirteenth day of July, 2021.

ATTEST: CAROL J. HUCHINGSON
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors

COUNTY OF LAKE

By: _____

Carol J. Huchingson



Chair, Board of Supervisors