



Resolution

of the City Council

Honoring Christian Brothers High School's 125th Anniversary

WHEREAS, in 1876, Miss Maggie Cunningham enlisted the aid of Father Patrick Scanlan and others in her desire to start a Christian Brothers school in Sacramento, collecting the needed funds from area residents over the course of a single day in a horse and buggy; and

WHEREAS, in 1896, the school offered a curriculum spanning from 1st grade through three years of college, providing Sacramento with a junior college over 20 years; and

WHEREAS, the Christian Brothers opened the newly named Christian Brothers School at 21st and Y Streets in September of 1924; and

WHEREAS, in 1964, Bishop Armstrong High School on Sacramento Boulevard (now Martin Luther King Jr. Boulevard) became a four-year high school for boys, which was later named Christian Brothers High School in 1968, and, in 1989, became the first, and is still the only, Catholic co-educational high school in Sacramento; and

WHEREAS, Christian Brothers High School's motto "Enter to Learn, Leave to Serve" is demonstrated in the tutorial and outreach programs with Oak Ridge Elementary School, St. Hope Academy, Wellspring, and others; and

WHEREAS, Christian Brothers High School is committed to the Oak Park Community, and the students contribute 25,000 community service hours per year in Sacramento; and

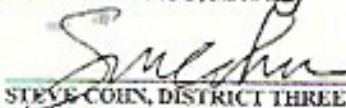
WHEREAS, Christian Brothers High School completed the construction of a \$7.5 million Science, Math, and Technology Wing and has instituted a program whereby 5% of its student who come from families at-or-below the federal poverty level will attend tuition-free; and

WHEREAS, the Christian Brothers and their partners – sisters, priests, and lay colleagues – have served the community of Sacramento by providing a Christian and human education since 1876.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the City of Sacramento, that we do hereby honor Christian Brothers High School, the Trustees, parents, students, instructors, alumni, and friends on the occasion of their 125th Anniversary and commend them for the outstanding services they provide to the Sacramento community.

ISSUED: This 1st Day of February 2002.

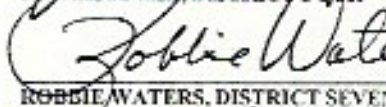

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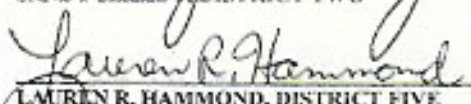

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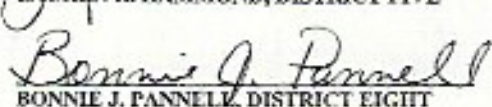

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