



City of
Santa Rosa

Proclamation

WHEREAS, Eden Housing develops and maintains high-quality, well-managed, service-enhanced affordable housing communities that meet the needs of lower income families, seniors and persons with disabilities; and

WHEREAS, beginning in 1968 Eden Housing grew out of the need for non-discriminatory, affordable housing in Alameda County; and over its 45-year history, Eden Housing has developed or acquired more than 7,000 affordable housing units in 93 properties, in partnership with 28 jurisdictions in California; and

WHEREAS, since its founding, more than 60,000 people have come home to an Eden Housing community; and

WHEREAS, Eden Housing offers a range of supportive resident services and enrichment programs at its properties, and since 1993 Eden Housing has awarded 281 scholarships totaling \$325,000 to support residents in achieving their academic and career goals; and

WHEREAS, Two hundred six families enjoy enhanced services that have come from Eden Housing's purchase of Del Nido Apartments, in Santa Rosa, CA; and

WHEREAS, amid shrinking resources for quality affordable housing, Eden remains committed to improving the lives of neighborhoods and residents by forging and nurturing long-term relationships with our community partners.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT, I, Scott P. Bartley, Mayor of the City of Santa Rosa, on behalf of the entire City Council, do hereby recognize and acknowledge November 14, 2013 as

THE 45TH ANNIVERSARY OF EDEN HOUSING

and commend Eden Housing for its contributions to revitalizing the lives of residents and communities.



Mayor Scott P. Bartley
November 5, 2013