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April 28, 2010

To: Elk Grove Mayor and Council

From: Laura S. Gill, City Manager

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Subject: **City Manager's General Administrative Report for April 28, 2010**

This is a report by the City Manager to the Elk Grove City Council. This report provides information on issues affecting the City and the progress of City activities.

Annual Salute to the Red, White, and Blue

This year, the City of Elk Grove is hosting the 14th Annual *Salute to the Red, White, and Blue* fireworks show at Elk Grove Regional Park. This event is Elk Grove's premier Fourth of July, community-wide celebration, a patriotic salute to the birth of our nation. To learn how to become an event sponsor, visit www.elkgrovecity.org.

Fantastic Fridays – 2nd Friday of each month

Beginning Friday, May 14, residents are encouraged to participate in Fantastic Fridays, a local campaign hosted by businesses to encourage residents to shop local. Elk Grove businesses will be hosting valuable incentive activities and events every second Friday of the month. Visit the Think, Shop, Live, Elk Grove website to learn more: <http://www.shopelkgrovecity.com/>.

Cash for Appliances

California has kicked off a "cash for appliances" program, offering three rebates for buying energy efficient appliances: \$100 for clothes washers, \$75 for refrigerators, and \$50 for room air conditioners. In partnership with the City's Think, Shop, Live, Elk Grove campaign, consider buying your new appliance from a retailer in Elk Grove. To learn more, visit: www.cash4appliances.org.

I remain available to answer any questions regarding this report.