RESOLUTION NO. 2000-37

A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ELK GROVE TO PROCLAIM THE MONTH OF OCTOBER AS "DISABILITY AWARENESS MONTH"

WHEREAS, the month of October is recognized throughout the country as Disability Awareness Month; and

WHEREAS, persons with disabilities are a diverse group of individuals entitled to the same quality of life and basic civil and human rights accorded to every individual; and

WHEREAS, the Elk Grove community in following the requirements and guidelines set forth by the Americans with Disabilities Act, is committed to accommodating the physical and social environment to the range of human variations so that persons with disabilities can live and participate independently; and

WHEREAS, the City of Elk Grove recognizes and honors the many organizations, advocates and individuals in the community who have empowered thousands of persons with disabilities to achieve respect, independence and overcome attitudinal barriers to a productive life.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Elk Grove hereby declares the month of October as "DISABILITY AWARENESS MONTH" in the City of Elk Grove.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Elk Grove asks all citizens to join us in observing this month in honor of persons with disabilities.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the City Council of the City of Elk Grove on this 13th day of September, 2000, by the following vote:

AYES: Council Members: COOPER, SOARES, BRIGGS, LEARY, SCHERMAN

NOES: Council Members: None

James Cooper, Mayo

ATTEST:

Diana Biddle, City Clerk

