

**RESOLUTION NO. 2009-65**

**A RESOLUTION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF ELK GROVE APPROVING  
THE CITY COUNCIL GOALS FOR FISCAL YEARS 2009-10 AND 2010-11**

**WHEREAS**, on February 27 and 28, 2009, the City Council of the City of Elk Grove conducted a two-day special Council Strategic Planning Session creating five goals to guide the activities of the City Council and staff for the next two fiscal years; and

**WHEREAS**, the five goals originated out of the extensive public input received prior to the planning session, which included: five Town Hall meetings held in each Council District, multiple Public Hearing opportunities at Council meetings, as well as online, phone, and e-mail opportunities to provide budget input; and

**WHEREAS**, the Council has reviewed the five goals, attached as Exhibit A.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the City Council of the City of Elk Grove hereby approves the City Council goals for Fiscal Years 2009-10 and 2010-11 attached as Exhibit A.


**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the City Council of the City of Elk Grove this 25<sup>th</sup> day of March 2009.



PATRICK HUME, MAYOR of the  
CITY OF ELK GROVE

ATTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:



SUSAN J. BLACKSTON, CITY CLERK



SUSAN COCHRAN, CITY ATTORNEY

## EXHIBIT A

### City Council Goals for Fiscal Years 2009-10 and 2010-11

- ***Create a vibrant, diversified economy***

Significant employment growth, through both recruitment of new high quality job opportunities and continued growth of existing businesses, will fuel future prosperity. We will create a balance between jobs and housing by targeting industry sectors that support stable employment and a healthy local economy. Creating innovative public-private partnerships, collaborating with local and regional economic development agencies, and enhancing City business practices will promote success.

- ***Grow and support safe, livable, attractive neighborhoods***

The City of Elk Grove will work collaboratively with neighborhood groups and individual homeowners and business owners to maintain and improve safety, aesthetics, and property values throughout the City. The City's public spaces will be beautiful, well-designed, and well-maintained. The City will promote the co-location of commercial, recreational, and social amenities that encourage residents to live, work, and play. While planning for new development, the City will recognize the needs of existing neighborhoods.

- ***Promote Elk Grove as a recreational and cultural center that attracts visitors***

The City of Elk Grove will capitalize on our diverse, family-oriented community and our respect for the City's heritage and character. We recognize that natural resources and constructed facilities should be available to serve our residents and invite visitors. We will develop facilities, activities, and amenities that promote Elk Grove as a regional cultural and tourism destination.

- ***Serve as wise, responsible stewards of fiscal resources***

City Council and staff will serve as wise stewards of the City's fiscal resources in safeguarding assets, planning long-term financial stability and maintaining adequate contingency reserves. Fiscal activities will be justifiable, efficient, effective, transparent and accountable.

- ***Develop an efficient and effective City organization with regional perspective***

In regional partnerships with other agencies, the City of Elk Grove is committed to improving service delivery to our residents and businesses. Our commitment is to our customers, both internally and externally. We provide a positive organizational culture where we recruit, retain, and promote the best employees who are regionally focused and always willing to work with all stakeholders in achieving success.

**CERTIFICATION**  
**ELK GROVE CITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION NO. 2009-65**

STATE OF CALIFORNIA        )  
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO    )       ss  
CITY OF ELK GROVE         )

*I, Susan J. Blackston, City Clerk of the City of Elk Grove, California, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly introduced, approved, and adopted by the City Council of the City of Elk Grove at a regular meeting of said Council held on March 25, 2009 by the following vote:*

**AYES :**        **COUNCILMEMBERS:**        *Scherman, Cooper, Davis, Detrick*

**NOES:**        **COUNCILMEMBERS:**        *None*

**ABSTAIN :**    **COUNCILMEMBERS:**        *None*

**ABSENT:**     **COUNCILMEMBERS:**        *Hume*



**Susan J. Blackston, City Clerk**  
**City of Elk Grove, California**