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Resolution

of the City Council

Honoring the National Association of Retired Federal Employees' 80th Anniversary

WHEREAS, the employees of the United States Government devote their lives to improving the quality of life and freedom for all citizens of the United States; and

WHEREAS, the United States Government recognizes the invaluable resource represented by its workforce and seeks to honor its moral responsibility to it by offering civil service employees adequate benefits upon retirement; and

WHEREAS, the National Association of Retired Federal Employees (NARFE) was founded on February 19, 1921 by 14 federal employees with the goal to protect the earned retirement benefits of federal annuitants, their spouses, and survivors; and

WHEREAS, NARFE has worked tirelessly for 80 years to protect the earned benefits of retired and active federal employees; and

WHEREAS, NARFE has grown to include more than 400,000 members, with over 1,600 local chapters in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, Puerto Rico, Panama, the Philippines, and Guam; and

WHEREAS, the City of Sacramento is well represented by NARFE Chapters 46, 1647, 1680, and 1710, with over 1,000 active members who embrace the material and social well-being of our community through good citizenship and volunteerism; and

WHEREAS, the citizens of the City of Sacramento are deeply appreciative of the contribution the members of NARFE make to our community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the City of Sacramento, that we do hereby honor the 80th Anniversary of the National Association of Retired Federal Employees and commend the members of the local chapters in the City of Sacramento for continuing to contribute to the betterment of our community.

ISSUED: This 30th Day of October 2001.

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HEATHER FARGO, MAYOR

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