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# Resolution

of the City Council

## Affordable Housing Week June 6 - 13, 1999

**W**HEREAS, the availability of decent, safe, and affordable housing is of vital importance to the health and well-being of all residents of the City of Sacramento; and

**W**HEREAS, an adequate supply of single-family and multi-family rental housing is necessary throughout the City in order to meet the needs of all economic segments of the City's population, as well as all demographic segments of the City's residents, such as seniors, families with children, and persons with disabilities; and

**W**HEREAS, the 1997 Draft Housing Element found that approximately 30 percent of households in the City, or about 45,000 households, are 'overpaying' for housing; and

**W**HEREAS, the City of Sacramento and its redevelopment agency have made the development and preservation of affordable housing important goals to be achieved by increasing incentives for and decreasing barriers to the construction and rehabilitation of affordable housing; and

**W**HEREAS, Sacramento Housing Alliance is a coalition of affordable housing providers, advocates, residents and other concerned citizens, providing education and advocacy on affordable housing issues; and

**W**HEREAS, Sacramento Housing Alliance has planned a schedule of events for the week of June 6-13, 1999 including open houses at affordable housing developments in various areas of the City to encourage the preservation and development of affordable housing as an important resource to the City of Sacramento.

**N**OW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Mayor and Council of the City of Sacramento, that we do hereby proclaim June 6 - 13, 1999 as Affordable Housing Week and urge public officials, city residents and other interested persons to participate in Affordable Housing Week activities,

ISSUED: This 8<sup>th</sup> Day of June 1999.

JOE SERNA, JR., MAYOR

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# Resolution

of the City Council

## Recognizing the Porter Sprague Company

**WHEREAS**, Porter Sprague Company, a full service, customer-focused automobile repair shop on 12<sup>th</sup> Street in downtown Sacramento has deep roots in town, dating back to 1917 when founders Widley Porter and Eddie Sprague started selling radiators and installing running boards and auto panels; and

**WHEREAS**, Porter Sprague became one of the first AAA-approved auto repair shops in the Sacramento area; and

**WHEREAS**, the business was passed down through the family until June of 1964 when Ed Quint and Harold Hoff purchased the company for 5,000 dollars, with Ed Quint becoming sole proprietor in 1986; and

**WHEREAS**, at its peak, Porter Sprague had 22 employees and annual revenues of more than one million dollars, with Ed Quint basing this success on a family work atmosphere and quality customer service; and

**WHEREAS**, this 50 year veteran of auto repair business thought he could retire and sell the business but was pulled back in late last year, rededicating himself to the company's success; and

**WHEREAS**, Ed Quint rehired most of his former workers and is actively using the "personal touch" to rebuild Porter Sprague, giving the company a sense of family again.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, by the Mayor and Council of the City of Sacramento, that we do hereby recognize the Porter Sprague Company, Ed Quint, Jim Havey and Adrienne Oehler for running a successful local business that contributes to the economic vitality in Sacramento.

ISSUED: This 8<sup>th</sup> Day of June 1999.

JOE SERNA, JR., MAYOR

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