

City of Eureka

# Proclamation



In recognition of

***Chuck Petty***  
***January 16, 2024***

*Whereas*, The City of Eureka wishes to acknowledge the dedicated service and commitment of Charles (Chuck) Petty to the Historic Preservation Commission; *and*

*Whereas*, Chuck worked on or with the Historic Preservation Commission continuously since 1997 and served ably as its Vice Chair, *and*

*Whereas*, Chuck worked with the other Commissioners to promote a community wide appreciation of our local historic resources and support for their conservation; *and*

*Whereas*, Chuck invested personal time to help staff to grow and become more knowledgeable, efficient and effective at the job of implementing the City's historic preservation ordinance; *and*

*Whereas*, Chuck chaired many committees working on State Historic Preservation Office grants and other projects for the Commission; *and*

*Whereas*, Chuck advocated for clear and consistent policy on issues ranging from window replacement to demolition by neglect; *and*

*Whereas*, Chuck served as a model for others in the meticulous way he has renovated his historic home; *and*

*Whereas*, Chuck led other local, preservation focused non profits, including the Eureka Heritage Society and the Eureka Theater, and consistently advocated in word and deed for the preservation of significant structures and the conservation of historic neighborhoods.

*Now, therefore, I Mayor Kim Bergel, on behalf of the Eureka City Council*, in recognition of Charles (Chuck) Petty's many contributions to our City and its citizens, do hereby express our deep appreciation for his dedication to the City of Eureka.

*Kim Bergel*  
Mayor  
January 16, 2024