

City of Folsom
Resolution of Commendation

Honoring

The Folsom High School Bulldogs Varsity Football Team

**FOR THEIR 2021 CALIFORNIA INTERSCHOLASTIC FEDERATION STATE
DIVISION I-AA FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP**

WHEREAS, Folsom High's Varsity Football Team brought home the California Interscholastic Federation (CIF) NorCal Regional Division I-AA football championship and the CIF State Division I-AA Runner Up for 2021 and defeated De La Salle High School for the first time in SJS Section history since 1985; and

WHEREAS, Folsom High's Varsity Football Team won the Sac-Joaquin Division I Section Championship for the eighth time in eleven years and the tenth Section Championship in football, and final season ranking of number one in Northern California; and

WHEREAS, nineteen players were named to the *Sacramento Bee's* All-Metro Team; and

WHEREAS, the Championship Team was led by outstanding Head Coach Paul Doherty, who was recently named *Sacramento Bee* Coach of the Year; and

WHEREAS, Coach Doherty and his players were successfully supported by a talented assistant coaching staff that included Jordan Banning, Jalen Angel, Tim Carroll, Jordan Irsik, Val Laolagi, Bailey Laolagi, Robert Lobeses, Adam Lopez, Matt Navone, Zachary Sclater and Matt Watson; and

WHEREAS, the players' parents are to be praised and thanked for their support of their student-athletes, including countless hours spent supporting practices and cheering from the bleachers; and

WHEREAS, a special thank you is extended to Folsom High's principal Howard Cadenhead, the school's students, and countless fans in Folsom and beyond for their unwavering support of the team;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Kerri M. Howell, Mayor of the City of Folsom, on behalf of the Folsom City Council and the residents of Folsom, do hereby congratulate the Folsom High School Bulldogs Varsity Football Team on their successful 2021 season, and extend best wishes for their future endeavors.

PASSED AND APPROVED, this 22nd day of March 2022.

Kerri M. Howell, MAYOR

Attest: _____

Christa Freemantle, CITY CLERK

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