

Proclamation

Honoring Kendall Rowley

Eagle Scout Recipient

WHEREAS, the City of Oakley, a place for families in the heart of the Delta, takes pride in its sense of community and citizen involvement; and

WHEREAS, the vision of the Boy Scouts of America is to prepare every eligible youth in America to become responsible, participating citizens and leaders, who are guided by the Scout Oath and Law; and

WHEREAS, Kendall received the rank of Eagle Scout on June 25, 2015; and

WHEREAS, this is the highest award a scout can receive; few boys move up through the ranks of scouting and only about 2% make it all the way to Eagle; and

WHEREAS, the Boy Scouts of America encourage Eagle Scout candidates to complete worthy projects to improve their neighborhoods, their community and the region; and

WHEREAS, for his community service project, Kendall replaced two large benches at Church on the Rock, and guided younger scouts with measurement techniques, miter cutting, and the use of power tools; and

WHEREAS, in addition to his 24 merit badges, Kendall had 52 nights of camping and has held many leadership positions; and

WHEREAS, Kendall has been continually active in scouts since 2008 and currently, is not only active in scouting and his community but for the last two years he has been a part of the Contra Costa Fire Explorers Post 88; and

WHEREAS, Kendall is now beginning his fire/paramedic training in college; and

WHEREAS, Kendall has grown into a well-respected young man that both scouts and adults look to as an example.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Doug Hardcastle, Mayor of the City of Oakley on behalf of the City Council, do hereby honor Kendall Rowley of Boy Scout Troop 153 on his achievement of attaining the rank of Eagle Scout, the highest rank in Boy Scouts.

December 8, 2015

Doug Hardcastle, Mayor