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## Proclamation

## Honoring Braeden Fowler 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, Braedan Fowler is a member of Boy Scout Troop 297 and he has achieved the rank of Eagle Scout; and

WHEREAS, this is the highest award a scout can receive 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 Braedan led a group of volunteers to install three elevated garden boxes at the Oakley Community Gardens; and

WHEREAS, Braedan has excelled in all facets of his life, including academically (4.0 GPA), and athletically (Swimming - League Champion since sophomore year); and

WHEREAS, shortly after his high school graduation, Braedan will be serving a two-year mission for The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints; and

WHEREAS, Braedan's persistent progress through the ranks of scouting to achieve this prestigious award demonstrates his determination to prepare himself for a meaningful, productive role in society.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that I, Sue Higgins, Mayor of the City of Oakley, do hereby honor Braedan Fowler of Boy Scout Troop 297 on his achievement of attaining the rank of Eagle Scout, the highest rank in the Boy Scouts.

Dated:	August 8,	2017