## Yolo County Board of Supervisors

## Resolution No. 01-195

## COMMENDING ROD JOHNSON

WHEREAS, in 1997 the Yolo County Board of Supervisors determined that consolidation of office spaces and facilities presently occupied by the County Department of Employment and Social Services ("DESS") in various locations could improve DESS's provision of services to the public and increase efficiencies in providing those services; and

WHEREAS, DESS was located in three separate older and overcrowded facilities in the cities of Woodland and Davis; and

WHEREAS, the Yolo County Board of Supervisors was determined to create a better working environment through the issuance of Request for Proposals; and

WHEREAS, Rod Johnson successfully competed for the opportunity to work with the County on a build to suit facility privately owned and leased back by the County in order to maximize state and federal participation in lease costs; and

WHEREAS, the County and Rod Johnson signed a lease agreement on September 5, 2000 which paved the way to begin construction of 63,000 square foot single story tilt up building; and

WHEREAS, the new Employment and Social Services Center was completed and occupied on August 6, 2001;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board takes great pride in honoring the unique partnership between the County and Rod Johnson;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board appreciates the strong leadership of Rod Johnson in bringing this beautiful new building to completion;

BE IT STILL FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board recognizes the achievements of Rod Johnson and his former colleagues of Perkins, Williams and Cotterill Architects, Panattoni Construction Company, Panattoni Law Firm, and Panattoni Property Management Company.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 20th day November of 2001 by the following vote:

AYES: Rosenberg, Pollock, McGowan, Wolk, and Stallard.

Tom Stallard, Chairman Yolo County, California