

# Proclamation of the Mayor of the City of Lemoore

In Recognition of:

## Proclaiming May 6, 2011 as Child Care Provider Appreciation Day in Lemoore

Whereas, The City of Lemoore and the Kings Community Action Organization Child Care Assistance Department are recognizing early childhood professionals to raise awareness of the importance of quality child care and early learning opportunities; and,

Whereas, Quality child care and early learning opportunities are among the best investments we can make to keep our families, communities, economy, and democracy strong; and,

Whereas, We want all children in Lemoore to reach their full potential and start school ready to learn and succeed; and,

Whereas, Children who have fun, diverse, and engaging early learning experiences are more likely to develop a lifelong love of learning; and,

Whereas, Many of Lemoore's parents - their children's first and most important teachers - rely upon child care providers and educators to offer quality early learning experiences for their children every day; and

Whereas, The early childhood work force includes devoted child care providers and educators who demonstrate tireless dedication, tremendous commitment, unending creativity and exceptional compassion in caring for our children, and they deserve respect for their invaluable work:

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, that the City Council of the City of Lemoore proclaims May 6, 2011, as Child Care Provider Appreciation Day.

In Witness Whereof I, Willard J. Rodarmel, Mayor of the City of Lemoore, have set my hand and caused the Seal of the City to be affixed this 3rd day of May, 2011.

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Willard J. Rodarmel, Mayor