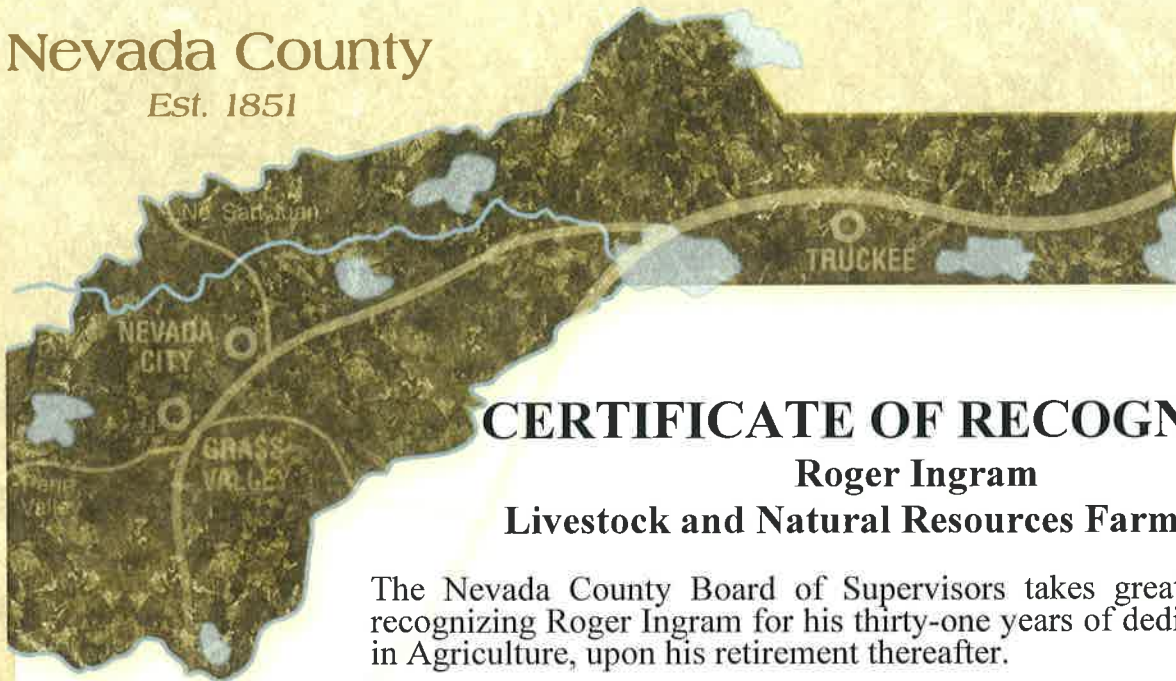


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CERTIFICATE OF RECOGNITION

Roger Ingram

Livestock and Natural Resources Farm Advisor

The Nevada County Board of Supervisors takes great pleasure in recognizing Roger Ingram for his thirty-one years of dedicated service in Agriculture, upon his retirement thereafter.

In 1986, Roger was hired as the 4-H/Livestock and Natural Resources advisor for Nevada County. In 1993, Placer County was added to his area of responsibility. In 2007, Roger became the County Director for Placer and Nevada Counties. Roger's Curriculum Vitae includes a Bachelor of Animal Science in 1977 and a Master of Animal Science in 1979 both from Texas A & M University.

Furthermore, Roger's extensive expertise continues in the areas of grazing management, fencing, nutrition, business development, economics, urban agriculture – local and regional food systems, agricultural marketing, livestock, range, and land use and low stress livestock handling. All of which have been invaluable to the County, the agricultural community, and youth development. And through cooperative collaboration with the University of Caledonia and the United States Department of Agriculture, Roger has continually provided educational assistance to local residents in the area of agriculture, economics, and youth and community development.

Roger has overseen the 4-H Community Club serving over 500 youth and 200 adult volunteers annually. Moreover, Roger has also administered the 4-H School-age Child Care Program that operates at nine elementary schools across the County and teaches over 900 children ever year. Roger has also been a member of the Nevada County Resource Conservation District working to provide conservation seminars and workshops to Nevada and Western Sierra County landowners since 2004. Another testament to Roger's service is his active involvement/membership in Agriculture and Nature Tourism, Beef Safety and Quality Assurance, California Communities, Livestock Production Systems, Oak Woodland Conservation, the Rangeland Watershed Program, and the Small Farm Work Group.

Therefore, the Nevada County Board of Supervisors expresses its deep appreciation to Roger Ingram for his thirty-one years of dedicated and excellent service in Agriculture, and wishes him a long, healthy and rewarding retirement thereafter.

Hank Weston, Chairman

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