

## City of Oroville

### A PROCLAMATION RECOGNIZING "ZEITOUN" AS THE BOOK IN COMMON IN 2011/2012

**WHEREAS**, the City of Oroville values reading, reflection and action in support of building a sense of community, strengthening literacy and advancing the common good; and

**WHEREAS**, the Book in Common's goal is to create a foundation for life-long learning by understanding oneself and others and to intellectually, critically and emotionally reflect on one's experiences and roles in society; and

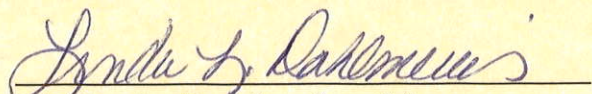
**WHEREAS**, programs such as the Book in Common enhance the intellectual community, foster dialogue on important social issues, and value the diverse cultural perspectives found in contemporary society; and

**WHEREAS**, California State University, the City of Chico, Butte Community College, Butte County Board of Supervisors, Butte County Public Library, Chico Enterprise Record, and local citizens and book clubs around our County have selected Zeitoun as the Book in Common.

**NOW, THEREFORE**, I, Linda L. Dahlmeier, Mayor of the City of Oroville, in concurrence with the Oroville City Council, do hereby proclaim Zeitoun as the Book in Common for 2011/2012 in the City of Oroville and urge all citizens to read, reflect and take action in support of the common good of the community.



Dated: September 6, 2011

  
Linda L. Dahlmeier, Mayor