

State Historical Resources Commission

RESOLUTION No. 2010-06

RESOLUTION OF RECOGNITION

Sacramento Modern

WHEREAS, in 2010 three Sacramento residents interested in Mid-Century Modern architecture and design sought to promote awareness and appreciation of postwar Modernist architecture in the Sacramento region, and created a new organization to pursue this objective, known as Sacramento Modern, and;

WHEREAS, on June 26, 2010, with the assistance of 120 volunteers, Sacramento Modern conducted the first Sacramento Mid-Century Modern Home Tour, including eleven homes in the neighborhoods of Land Park and South Land Park, attended by over 1300 people, and created a souvenir booklet describing the homes on the tour, and nearby commercial buildings of similar era and style, and;

WHEREAS, by their efforts, Sacramento Modern has promoted awareness of the mid-century architectural heritage of Sacramento, including the work of statewide merchant builders like Joe Eichler, and Sacramento architects like Carter Sparks, George Muraki, Kenneth Rickey, and Bucky Fong, and;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that official recognition on behalf of the State Historical Resources Commission is given to Sacramento Modern for its pioneering effort to promote the preservation, restoration and appreciation of Mid-Century Modern architecture in the Sacramento region, and execution of their first successful Home Tour,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that this Resolution be recorded in the minutes of the State Historical Resources Commission and a suitable copy presented to the Sacramento Modern organization.

July 30, 2010

STATE HISTORICAL RESOURCES COMMISSION

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