



## PROCLAMATION

### May 2010 HISTORIC PRESERVATION MONTH

WHEREAS, the City of Alamosa, in celebration of the Month of May as Archaeology and Historic Preservation Month, recognizes that historic sites and structures in the community are symbols of our heritage and valuable assets to the quality of life in our community. These structures anchor our downtown, our residential areas, and the larger community, upholding the native character of our City and instilling civic pride by virtue of their very presence. Their potential as resources and attractors for heritage tourism is great. The events, businesses, and experiences these sites have hosted connect us to one another and form a vital part of the fabric of our community; and

WHEREAS, Alamosa's many historic structures represent a diversity of economic and architectural trends that are integral to the past and future development of this great community, founded 132 years ago. The City is actively engaged in recognizing these emblems of our heritage through the Alamosa Historic Registry;

NOW THEREFORE, the Alamosa City Council proclaims the Month of May, 2010, as Historic Preservation Month, and encourages its citizens to advance historic preservation activities in the community.

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Kathleen J. Rogers, Mayor

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Judy A. Egbert, City Clerk