Resolution
MONTEREY COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
RESOLUTION NUMBER 19-20-35

Recognizing and Honoring

Classified School Employee Week
May 17-23, 2020

WHEREAS, the Monterey County Board of Education recognizes May 17-23, 2020 as Classified School Employee Week and deeply honors the employees that perform these wide range of vital services that keep our public schools operating smoothly and ensuring students are learning in a safe and comfortable environment; and

WHEREAS, Classified School Employees are a strong and essential force of extraordinary workers getting the fundamental work of our schools done and keeping 20/20 vision on our schools and our students’ needs; and

WHEREAS, with the recent closure of Monterey County schools due to the coronavirus and many programs and services deemed essential for the welfare of our students, we praise Classified School Employees who include the custodial and warehouse staff, members in food services and transportation, and those in specialized services that are all working the front lines performing heroic work during these difficult and unprecedented times; and

WHEREAS, as schools and our public education system move forward into a new reality, Classified School Employees’ are performing the critical work to support our students and educators as they transform to online and distance learning to meet the educational needs of our students in innovative and accommodative ways; and

WHEREAS, every aspect of a child’s educational experience is impacted by classified school employees and Classified School Employee Week pays tribute to the tireless efforts of these outstanding employees who will now aid in creating new high-quality educational opportunities and activities and help develop fresh and innovative milestones that will add to our students’ educational and school experience and to their lives; and

WHEREAS, the Monterey County Board of Education recognizes the crucial roles and vital services performed by hundreds of Classified School Employees working for the Monterey County Office of Education that all help to create an educational environment that promotes and advances student achievement, safety, and health; and

WHEREAS, the Monterey County Board of Education urges school administrators, parents, students and the community to show their appreciation for all Classified School Employees who work daily to help motivate, inspire and mold young minds:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Monterey County Board of Education does hereby adopt Resolution Number 19-20-35 to recognize the week of May 17-23, 2020 as Classified School Employee Week and to acknowledge the numerous and significant contributions of Classified School Employees.

Passed and Adopted on the Fifteenth Day of April, 2020

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