

RESOLUTION NO. : 19/22-23

IN SUPPORT OF MAY 21-27, 2023 AS CLASSIFIED SCHOOL EMPLOYEE WEEK

WHEREAS: The California public schools employ approximately 240,000 classified staff, about half of whom are in full-time positions and about half in part-time positions;

WHEREAS: Many classified employees, perhaps the largest share, serve in paraprofessional capacities, most providing direct assistance to certificated faculty at the schools and giving students the type of individual attention and support they need to succeed academically and socially;

WHEREAS: Other classified employees perform vital clerical, office and technology support functions without which local school sites, as well as district office employees, simply could not operate, and without which many students would not receive important educational and health-related services;

WHEREAS: Still other classified employees are involved with cafeteria and other nutrition-related programs, serving students many meals and snacks each year;

WHEREAS: Many classified employees perform custodial, maintenance, and grounds services, ensuring that buildings and grounds are clean and safe;

WHEREAS: Classified employees serve as bus drivers and crossing guards to ensure students have safe passage to and from school;

WHEREAS: Efficient and effective support and ancillary services are essential ingredients to enable excellent teaching, sound administration, and high achievement by students;

WHEREAS: The State Board of Education's mission is to create strong, effective schools that provide a wholesome learning environment through incentives that cause a high standard of student accomplishment as measured by a valid, reliable accountability system, and a strong system of classified service in the public schools is critical to that mission's realization; and

WHEREAS: The San Ramon Valley Unified School District Board of Education recognizes that the most valuable asset to be deployed in delivering a quality education to all students is the Districts' high performing workforce, of which classified staff are a vital component;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED: That the San Ramon Valley Unified School District Board of Education supports the celebration of the week of May 21-27, 2023, as Classified School Employee Week in the district in recognition of the many outstanding contributions and services provided by this district's classified employees.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the following called vote this 16th day of August 2022.

BUDGET IMPLICATION: None

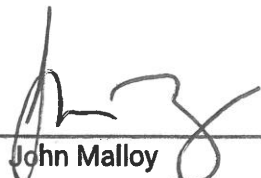
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AYES: Mintz, Hurd, Bratt, Clark, Ordway

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

ABSTAINED: None



Dr. John Malloy
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of the San Ramon Valley Unified School District,
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