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BEFORE THE FRESNO COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
AND THE FRESNO COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
FRESNO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

In the Matter Regarding the Proclamation
of the week of September 5 - 11, 2021 as
Suicide Prevention Week

Resolution No. 2021 - 22 (FCBE)
Resolution No. 2021 - 42 (FCSS)

WHEREAS, the week of September 5-11, 2021 is National Suicide Prevention Week, and September 2021 is National Suicide Prevention Month, when millions of people around the world join their voices to share a message of hope and healing; and

WHEREAS, these observances are united in raising awareness that suicide is preventable; and

WHEREAS, in these challenging times messages of hope and healing are more needed than ever; and

WHEREAS, Fresno County residents should be able to access high quality education, prevention, intervention, postvention, and support treatment services that lead to recovery and a healthy lifestyle; and

WHEREAS, every day in Fresno County people access suicide prevention resources provided by Fresno County to support them on their road to wellness and recovery; and

WHEREAS, resiliency begins early in life within families, day cares, and schools, and can be strengthened and reinforced throughout the life span; and

WHEREAS, wellness encompass the whole individual, including mind, body, spirit, and community; and

WHEREAS, Striving for Zero, California's Strategic Plan for Suicide Prevention urges all Californians to play a role in suicide prevention and promoting health and wellness; and

WHEREAS, the benefits of preventing and overcoming mental health challenges, suicide attempts and loss, and substance abuse are significant and valuable to individuals, families, and our community at large; and

WHEREAS, it is essential that we educate residents about suicide risks, signs, resources and the ways they affect all people in the community; and

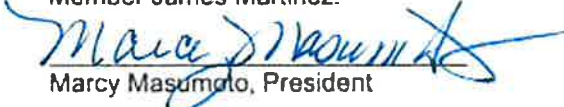
WHEREAS, we must encourage relatives, friends, co-workers, and providers to recognize the signs of a problem, and guide those in need to appropriate services and supports; and demonstrating to speak up and asking for help is not a weakness; and

WHEREAS, Suicide Prevention Month inspire millions of Americans to raise awareness, build resiliency, and find hope.

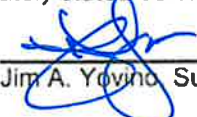
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Fresno County Board of Education and the Fresno County Superintendent of Schools hereby proclaims and recognizes on this 19th Day of August, 2021, the week of September 5-11, 2021 is National Suicide Prevention Week: "Finding Hope, Building Resiliency, Supporting Recovery". and encourage all Fresno County School Districts to participate with appropriate activities and curriculum on this day and throughout the year.

This Resolution is adopted by the Fresno County Board of Education at its meeting of August 19, 2021 by the following votes:

President Marcy Masumoto:	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Abstain <input type="checkbox"/>	Absent <input type="checkbox"/>
Vice President Kimberly Tapscott-Munson:	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Abstain <input type="checkbox"/>	Absent <input type="checkbox"/>
Member Bryan Burton:	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Abstain <input type="checkbox"/>	Absent <input type="checkbox"/>
Member Allen Clyde:	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Abstain <input type="checkbox"/>	Absent <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Member James Martinez:	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	Abstain <input type="checkbox"/>	Absent <input type="checkbox"/>


Marcy Masumoto, President

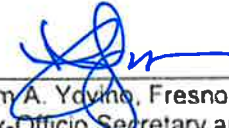
This Resolution is adopted by the Fresno County Superintendent of Schools as of the date immediately stated below as evident by his signature hereunder:


Jim A. Yovino, Superintendent

Date: 8/19/21

CERTIFICATION

I am the Ex-Officio Secretary and Executive Officer of the Fresno County Board of Education and hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is the full, true, and correct resolution duly passed and adopted by the Fresno County Board of Education on the date stated above.

By: 
Jim A. Yovino, Fresno County Superintendent of Schools
Ex-Officio Secretary and Executive Officer of the
Fresno County Board of Education

Date: 8/19/21