

MONTEREY COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

RESOLUTION NUMBER 20-21-55

Recognizing

Classified School Employee Week May 16-22, 2021

WHEREAS, the Monterey County Board of Education recognizes May 16-22, 2021 as **Classified School Employee Week** and deeply honors all of the talented **Classified School Employees** who perform a wide range of vital services that keep our schools operating smoothly and support the learning environments of our students; and

WHEREAS, Classified School Employees, which include custodial and warehouse staff, members in food services and transportation, and all those in specialized services, are a strong and essential force of extraordinary workers completing the fundamental work of our educational systems and keeping a keen eye on the needs of our schools and our students; and

WHEREAS, with the COVID-19 pandemic continuing to profoundly disrupt our education system, the Monterey County Board of Education praises our Monterey County **Classified School Employees** for their tireless efforts, constantly navigating shifting landscapes and creating safe and supportive environment; and

WHEREAS, with courage, collaboration and commitment, **Classified School Employees** are performing critical work through ever-changing and innovative ways to help transform school environments and create positive and rewarding climates for our students and families; and

WHEREAS, as schools and students continue to shift into new paradigms, Classified School Employees are to be commended for aiding school leaders and educators in safely developing new learning models and establishing healthy environments that meet the educational and social-emotional needs of our students; and

WHEREAS, the Monterey County Board of Education is extremely proud of the exemplary Classified School Employees who serve our students throughout Monterey County by providing inspiration, guidance and encouragement to strengthen the learning experiences and lives of our children; 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 and mold young minds:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Monterey County Board of Education does hereby adopt Resolution Number 20-21-55 to recognize the week of May 16-22, 2021 as **Classified School Employee Week** and to acknowledge the numerous and significant contributions of **Classified School Employees**.

Passed and Adopted on the Fourteenth Day of April, 2021

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