## **PROCLAMATION**

Hoover Board of Education

Career and Technical Education Month 2023

Whereas, the Alabama State Department of Education and national educational organizations have proclaimed February as Career and Technical Education (CTE) Month; and

Whereas, profound economic and technical changes in our society are rapidly reflected in the structure and nature of work, thereby placing new and additional responsibilities on our educational system; and

Whereas, CTE programs in Hoover City Schools have become a rigorous, progressive, vital parts of the school system, committed to providing students with rewarding opportunities including credentialing and job placement; and

Whereas, career and technical education has taken on new meaning in our district with the advent of RC3; and

**Whereas,** our CTE programs provide students with opportunities to gain invaluable hands-on experiences through internships, apprenticeships, and cooperative education programs; and

Whereas, CTE programs annually increase in popularity as we recruit skilled and focused educators dedicated to ensuring success for *all* students.

**Now, therefore,** be it resolved that the Hoover Board of Education joins the Alabama State Department of Education and national organizations in proclaiming the month of February as Career and Technical Education Month.

Dr. Dee O. Fowler Superintendent

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