

**San Mateo Union High School District  
Proclamation Recognizing January 1-31, 2025  
As School Board Recognition Month**

**WHEREAS**, an excellent public education system is vital to the quality of life for all California citizens and communities; and

**WHEREAS**, SMUHSD Board of Trustees are committed to students, believe that all students can be successful learners and that the best education is tailored to the individual needs of the child; and

**WHEREAS**, SMUHSD Board of Trustees continue to advocate to best serve the teens in our community each and every day; and

**WHEREAS**, our local Board of Trustees continues to act to ensure student's academic, social-emotional, physical and mental health needs are met so they can become their best selves; and

**WHEREAS**, our Board of Trustees embodies our District's Equity Vision which states: All students will learn in a safe, inclusive and equitable environment that validates, respects and honors their unique backgrounds, interests and identities; and our Equity Mission which states: We will continually identify, disrupt and eliminate institutional biases and barriers to ensure that all students have the skills and knowledge to thrive physically, emotionally and academically.

**WHEREAS**, our Board of Trustees supports our 10 schools, six cities and one District and upholds our goal that every student graduates and every student thrives; and

**WHEREAS**, SMUHSD Board of Trustees work closely with parents, school staff, educational professionals and other community members to create the healthiest environments possible where all students can thrive; and

**WHEREAS**, SMUHSD Board of Trustees are responsible for building and maintaining the structure that provides a solid foundation for our school system; and

**WHEREAS**, our Board of Trustees are strong advocates for public education and are responsible for communicating the needs of the school district to the public and the public's expectations to the district; and

**WHEREAS**, the mission of public schools to meet the diverse educational needs of all children and to empower them to become competent, productive contributors to a democratic society and an ever-changing world is more poignant than ever before;

**NOW, THEREFORE,** I, Superintendent Randall Booker, do hereby declare my appreciation SMUHSD Board of Trustees and proclaim the month of January 2025 as School Board Recognition Month in the San Mateo Union High School District. I urge all community members to join me in recognizing the dedication and hard work of local school board members and in working with them to create an education system that meets the needs of our students.

**SAN MATEO UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Passed and adopted on this 16th day of January, 2025.



Superintendent

Robert Griffin

President, Board of Trustees