



RESOLUTION #26-42

In Support of Unity Day

WHEREAS, Unity Day was established in 2011 by PACER's National Bullying Prevention Center as a signature event of National Bullying Prevention Month, with the purpose of promoting safe and supportive school communities through kindness, acceptance, and inclusion; and

WHEREAS, Wednesday, October 21, 2026, is designated as Unity Day, a time when students, staff, families, and communities across the nation join together to stand against bullying and demonstrate unity for kindness, acceptance, and inclusion; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Board of the Oxnard Union High School District affirms that students can only learn and thrive as creators of their future world if each and every student feels safe if we work together to eradicate bullying from our schools; and

WHEREAS, the Governing Board of the Oxnard Union High School District encourages all students, staff, and families to wear the color orange on this day as a visible statement that bullying is unacceptable and that our schools and community are united in supporting a culture of respect and belonging;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Governing Board of the Oxnard Union High School District recognizes October 21, 2026, as Unity Day and reaffirms its commitment to fostering safe, inclusive, and respectful learning environments for all students.

PASSED AND ADOPTED this 14th day of October, 2026, by the Board of Trustees of the Oxnard Union High School District.

AYES: 5

NOES: 0

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

State of California
County of Ventura

Dr. Karen Sher
President, Board of Trustees
Oxnard Union High School District

Dr. Virginia E. Kelsen
Superintendent
Oxnard Union High School District