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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 Recognition of
Earth Day, April 22, 2023

Resolution No. 2023 - 10 (FCBE)
Resolution No. 2023 - 12 (FCSS)

WHEREAS, Earth Day was first celebrated on April 22, 1970; and

WHEREAS, Earth Day is an annual event created to promote environmental citizenship and stewardship year-round by encouraging people to find ways to protect the environment including planting trees, removing litter, conserving water and energy, waste reduction, recycling, and other environmentally responsible actions; and

WHEREAS, the Fresno County Board of Education ("County Board") and the Fresno County Superintendent of Schools ("County Superintendent") acknowledge that education regarding environmental principles and concepts is important as outlined in Education Code section 51227.3 and County Superintendent and Board Policy No. 6142.5; and

WHEREAS, the County Board and the County Superintendent recognize that schools play a crucial role in educating students about the importance of the environment and in preparing them to be stewards of natural resources; and

WHEREAS, the County Board and the County Superintendent believe that students should value the environment, respect all life forms, understand the basic ecological principles which support the planet, and live an ecologically responsible life-style.

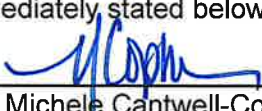
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Fresno County Board of Education and the Fresno County Superintendent of Schools do hereby recognize April 22, 2023 as "Earth Day" and encourage all Fresno County School Districts to participate with appropriate activities and curriculum on this day and throughout the year.

This Resolution is adopted by the Fresno County Board of Education at its meeting of March 16, 2023 by the following votes:

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


Bryan Burton, President

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




Dr. Michele Cantwell-Copher, Superintendent

Date: 3/16/23

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: 

Dr. Michele Cantwell-Copher
Fresno County Superintendent of Schools
Ex-Officio Secretary and Executive Officer of the
Fresno County Board of Education

Date: 3/16/23