

## **Resolution Recognizing Teacher Appreciation Week (May 6-10, 2024)**

**WHEREAS**, the goal of Teacher Appreciation Week is to raise national and local awareness of teaching excellence in building a better society; and

**WHEREAS**, education is a grand and powerful profession, worthy to be honored and respected; and

**WHEREAS**, excellence in education begins in the classrooms of our nation's schools. SRCS teachers are among the professional educators who are charged with the responsibility of helping to shape the destiny of our country by training and guiding our children, youth and adults; and

**WHEREAS**, SRCS teachers are and will continue to be a dynamic force in the educational process. They have demonstrated, through their sense of purpose and dedication to their profession, that they are a major source of inspiration to our students; and

**WHEREAS**, SRCS teachers have consistently documented their professional competence and commitment to students through their willingness to give of their time, energy, talents and ideas. They are to be praised for the progress our students are making; and

**WHEREAS**, SRCS teachers should be deeply respected and highly recognized for the contributions they have made to our county, our state, and our nation; and

**WHEREAS**, SRCS teachers encounter students of widely differing backgrounds and support them all equitably, with compassion; and

**WHEREAS**, SRCS teachers are responsible for educating and encouraging students to become the next generation of inventors, entrepreneurs, public officials, first responders, professionals, and service providers so that our community continues to grow and flourish; and

**WHEREAS**, SRCS teachers help build the country's future by providing quality education to all students; and

**WHEREAS**, SCRS teachers, counselors, nurses, librarians, psychologists and speech and language pathologists and other certificated staff continue to contribute to the well-being of our local community and the entire state; and

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Santa Rosa City Schools Board of Education recognizes May 6-10, 2024, as Teacher Appreciation Week and urges all schools, centers, departments, parents, businesses, governmental and community agencies and the entire community to participate in the celebration of the significant role teachers play in shaping the lives of our students and the future of our great nation.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Governing Board of the Santa Rosa City Schools District on the 24th day of April, 2024.

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Roxanne McNally, Clerk of the Board

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