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RESOLUTION NO. 20-21-29

CLASSIFIED SCHOOL EMPLOYEE WEEK MAY 16 - 22, 2021

WHEREAS, the San Jacinto Unified School District employs approximately 580 classified staff in full-time and part-time positions; and

WHEREAS, in a typical year, classified employees are recognized as integral to the success of students and public education, ensuring our schools operate smoothly, classified employees have earned respect as educators and partners in the education community; and

WHEREAS, this year, classified employees have stepped up to the challenges presented by the COVID-19 pandemic and proven to be essential workers serving our students and schools like never before; and

WHEREAS, many classified employees serve in paraprofessional capacities, providing direct assistance to certificated faculty and giving students the attention and support they need as they overcome the challenges of distance learning and helping to address learning loss; and

WHEREAS, other site and District Office staff perform clerical and office support functions without which the District could not operate and have worked diligently to connect teachers with students working remotely, while technical staff have equipped them with the technology they need to learn; and

WHEREAS, still other classified employees are involved with nutrition programs, preparing and serving snacks and meals for students and other community members in need; and

WHEREAS, many classified employees perform maintenance and custodial services, ensuring that our school buildings and grounds are clean, safe and well maintained from a deadly virus; and

WHEREAS, still other classified employees serve as school safety officers working to keep our school grounds safe and secure and have supported our students by supervising learning pods, supporting classroom instruction and continual support to our office staff; and

Dr. David Pyle, District Superintendent

Dr. Sherry Smith

Deputy Superintendent - Personnel Services

Seth Heeren
Assistant Superintendent - Business Services

John Roach
Assistant Superintendent - Educational Services

WHEREAS, the District supports a strong system of classified service.

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NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the San Jacinto Unified School District Board of Trustees expresses its grateful appreciation to classified employees for their contributions that support the education of youth in San Jacinto.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Trustees of the San Jacinto Unified School District at its regular meeting held on April 13, 2021.

Deborah Rex, President Board of Trustees Dr. David Pyle, District Superintendent

