

RESOLUTION NO. 033-21/22

Career and Technical Education Month – February, 2022

**WHEREAS**, February 2022 has been designated Career and Technical Education month by the Association for Career and Technical Education; and

**WHEREAS**, profound economic and technological changes in our society are rapidly reflected in the structure and nature of the workforce, thereby placing new and additional responsibilities on our educational system; and

**WHEREAS**, Career and Technical Education provides students with a school-to-career connection and is the backbone of a strong, well-educated workforce, which fosters productivity in business and industry and contributes to America's leadership in the international marketplace; and

**WHEREAS**, Career and Technical Education directly prepares students for high-wage, high-skill, high-demand careers, encompassing many different fields including health care, information technology, advanced manufacturing, hospitality and management, agriculture, and many more; and

**WHEREAS**, Career and Technical Education gives high school students experience in practical, meaningful applications of basic skills such as reading, writing, and mathematics, thus improving the quality of their education, motivating and providing students with leadership opportunities in the high-tech, high-skill global economy that exists today and will continue to evolve in the future; and

**WHEREAS**, Career and Technical Education offers individuals opportunities to learn new, relevant 21<sup>st</sup> Century skills, which provide them with career choices and potential satisfaction; and

**WHEREAS**, the ever-increasing cooperative efforts of Career and Technical Educators, business, and industry stimulate the growth and vitality of our local economy and that of the entire nation by preparing graduates for success in college and careers;

**NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, the Livermore Valley Joint Unified School District Board of Education of the Counties of Alameda and Contra Costa, does hereby designate February 2022, as "Career and Technical Education Month," and encourages all community members to become familiar with the services and benefits offered by the Career and Technical Education programs in our community and to support and participate in these programs to enhance their awareness of opportunities that are available to our students.

**PASSED AND ADOPTED** by the Governing Board of the Livermore Valley Joint Unified School District this 1st day of February, 2022, by the following vote:

AYES: Bueno \_\_\_\_\_ Guzman \_\_\_\_\_ Prusso \_\_\_\_\_ Wang \_\_\_\_\_ White \_\_\_\_\_

NOES: Bueno \_\_\_\_\_ Guzman \_\_\_\_\_ Prusso \_\_\_\_\_ Wang \_\_\_\_\_ White \_\_\_\_\_

ABSTENTIONS: Bueno \_\_\_\_\_ Guzman \_\_\_\_\_ Prusso \_\_\_\_\_ Wang \_\_\_\_\_ White \_\_\_\_\_

ABSENT: Bueno \_\_\_\_\_ Guzman \_\_\_\_\_ Prusso \_\_\_\_\_ Wang \_\_\_\_\_ White \_\_\_\_\_

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Clerk of the Board of Education of the  
Livermore Valley Joint Unified School District of Alameda  
County and Contra Costa County,  
State of California