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Resolution No. 2009-12 In Recognition of Public Schools Month

WHEREAS, Public Schools Month is observed during April, and the event is designed to promote mutual respect and understanding; and

WHEREAS, concern for the common good and well-being of all citizens is one of the highest virtues of American democracy, and generations ago our ancestors recognized the importance of this virtue by creating the public school system; and

WHEREAS, public schools are responsible not only for sound instructional programs that prepare and equip our youth to live productive lives as adults but also for instilling in our children a love of freedom and appreciation for the benefits of living in a democratic society; and

WHEREAS, American public schools have educated and, thereby, enabled the nation's youth to participate in and contribute to their own version of the American dream; and

WHEREAS, public schools are vital partners in training America's workforce, contributing directly to the goals, dreams, and accomplishments of this country:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Stanislaus County Board of Education recognizes April 2009 as Public Schools Month and encourages local boards of education to participate in this celebration through activities that demonstrate to the public the importance of public education.

Adopted this 21st day of April 2009



Luis Molina, Chairperson
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