

SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

Agenda Item #7.1

Meeting Date: October 17, 2019
<u>Subject</u> : Approve Resolution No. 3109: Recognition of National Breast Cancer Awareness Month, October 2019
 □ Information Item Only □ Approval on Consent Agenda □ Conference (for discussion only) □ Conference/First Reading (Action Anticipated:) □ Conference/Action □ Action □ Public Hearing
<u>Division</u> : Board Office
Recommendation : Approve Resolution No. 3109: Recognition of National Breast Cancer Awareness Month, October 2019.
Background/Rationale: October 2019 has been designated as National Breast Cancer Awareness Month which is an annual campaign to increase awareness of the disease. The Sacramento City Unified School District Board of Education would like to help drive awareness and commemorate individuals and families that have battled this and other similar cancers.
Financial Considerations: N/A
<u>LCAP Goal(s):</u> Family and Community Empowerment; Safe, Emotionally Healthy and Engaged Students
<u>Documents Attached</u> : 1. Resolution No. 3109

Estimated Time of Presentation: 5 minutes **Submitted by**: Jessie Ryan, President

Approved by: Jorge A. Aguilar, Superintendent

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RESOLUTION NO. 3109

RECOGNITION OF NATIONAL BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH, OCTOBER 2019

WHEREAS, breast cancer is the most commonly diagnosed cancer in women, and the second leading cause of cancer death among women; and

WHEREAS, a woman living in the US has a 12.4%, or a 1-in-8, lifetime risk of being diagnosed with breast cancer; and

WHEREAS, the survival rate of women who have breast cancer is 98.1 percent when detected in the early stages; and

WHEREAS, knowing the risk factors for breast cancer which include age, weight, sedentary lifestyles, diet, family history, reproductive history, alcohol consumption levels, smoking, and dense breast tissue can aid in early detection; and

WHEREAS, the Sacramento City Unified School District applauds the local and national organizations for their work in promoting awareness about breast cancer; and

WHEREAS, the resolution provides a special opportunity to offer education on the importance of knowing the risk factors, monthly self-examinations, and annual mammograms.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, The Sacramento City Unified School District Board of Education encourages awareness to all females within the surrounding community of the importance to partake in monthly breast self-examinations and annual mammograms; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, The Sacramento City Unified School District Board of Education would like to pay tribute to those individuals, and their families and friends, who have had to struggle with the battle against breast cancer, or any other cancer.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Sacramento City Unified School District Board of Education on this 17th day of October, 2019, by the following vote:

AYES: NOES: ABSTAIN: ABSENT: ATTESTED TO:	
Jorge A. Aguilar Superintendent	Jessie Ryan President of the Board of Education