



SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

Agenda Item# 7.1

Meeting Date: June 4, 2015

Subject: **Approve Resolution No. 2846: Resolution to Recognize American Legion High School Students for Their Exemplary Effort to Raise HIV/AIDS Awareness**

- Information Item Only
- Approval on Consent Agenda
- Conference (for discussion only)
- Conference/First Reading (Action Anticipated: _____)
- Conference/Action
- Action
- Public Hearing

Division: Superintendent's Office

Recommendation: Approve Resolution No. 2846: Resolution to Recognize American Legion Students for 330 Mile HIV/AIDS Cycling Fundraiser.

Background/Rationale: Five American Legion High School students, Jason Howard, Zachary Jones, Tanner Michael-Bond, Manual Trevino, and Bee Vang, took part in the 2015 NorCal AIDS Cycle to raise awareness of HIV/AIDS. This is a four day fundraising cycling event that covers 300 plus miles to benefit the inland Northern California Region.

Financial Considerations: N/A

LCAP Goal(s): College and Career Ready Students; Family and Community Engagement

Documents Attached:

1. Resolution No. 2846

Estimated Time of Presentation: 5

Submitted by: Darrel Woo, Board President, Trustee Area 6

Approved by: José L. Banda, Superintendent

**SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION**

RESOLUTION NO. 2846

**TO RECOGNIZE FIVE AMERICAN LEGION HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS IN RAISING
AWARENESS ABOUT HIV/AIDS**

WHEREAS, the Sacramento City Unified School District recognizes the extraordinary effort of American Legion High School Students, Jason Howard, Zachary Jones, Tanner Michael-Bond, Manual Trevino, and Bee Vang, in raising awareness about the HIV/AIDS epidemic by completing a three day, 300 plus mile NorCal AIDS Cycle; and

WHEREAS, understanding that 34% of all new HIV/AIDS transmissions will occur in young adults ages 13 to 29 years of age, and that they are among the fastest growing population to transmit the disease; and

WHEREAS, these brave young men from American Legion High School resolved to raise \$5,000 and complete an arduous bicycle ride to help reverse the aforementioned troubling trends; and

WHEREAS, over \$310,000 was raised by all riders for HIV/AIDS prevention in the area to be distributed to 16 local agencies; and

WHEREAS, the mission of the NorCal AIDS Cycle is to support organizations throughout Northern California with an emphasis on the Greater Sacramento Valley, and they are working to end the HIV/AIDS pandemic and also care for those living with and affected by HIV/AIDS in our region; and

WHEREAS, the goals of the NorCal AIDS Cycle is to raise funds to support HIV/AIDS-related services within the inland Northern California region, raise awareness about benefitting organizations and services within the area, increase awareness of needs throughout the community, and encourage a positive environment for the dignity, quality of life, and acceptance of people affected by and infected with HIV/AIDS.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Sacramento City Unified School District Board of Education recognizes the importance of raising awareness of HIV/AIDS and supports American Legion High School students and the NorCal AIDS Cycle in their efforts to do so.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Sacramento City Unified School District Board of Education on this ___ day of _____, 20___, by the following vote:

AYES: _____
NOES: _____
ABSTAIN: _____
ABSENT: _____

Darrel Woo
President of the Board of Education

ATTESTED TO:

José L. Banda
Secretary of the Board of Education