



SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

Agenda Item 7.1

Meeting Date: March 15, 2018

Subject: Approve Resolution No. 2998: In Recognition of National Women's History Month, March 2018

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

Division: Board Office

Recommendation: Approve Resolution No. 2998: National Women's History Month for March 2018.

Background/Rationale: March has been designated as National Women's History Month. The Resolution recognizes the important historical and ongoing contributions of women in our society.

Financial Considerations: None

LCAP Goal(s): Family and Community Empowerment

Documents Attached:

1. Resolution No. 2998

Estimated Time of Presentation: 5 minutes

Submitted by: Jessie Ryan, Board President

Approved by: Jorge A. Aguilar, Superintendent

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RESOLUTION NO. 2998

RECOGNITION OF NATIONAL WOMEN’S HISTORY MONTH

WHEREAS, American women of every race, class, and ethnic background have made historic contributions to our Nation and community in countless recorded and unrecorded ways;

WHEREAS, American women have played and continue to play critical economic, cultural, and social role in every sphere of the life of the Nation by constituting a significant portion of the labor force working inside and outside of the home;

WHEREAS, American women have played a unique role throughout the history of the Nation by providing the majority of the volunteer labor force of the Nation;

WHEREAS, American women were particularly important in the establishment of early charitable, philanthropic, and cultural institutions in our Nation;

WHEREAS, American women of every race, class, and ethnic background served as early leaders in the forefront of every major progressive social change movement;

WHEREAS, American women have served our country courageously in the military;

WHEREAS, American women have been leaders, not only in securing their own rights of suffrage and equal opportunity, but also in the abolitionist, emancipation, labor, civil rights, and other movements, as well as the recent #MeToo movement; and

WHEREAS, despite these contributions, the role of American women in history has been consistently overlooked and undervalued, in the literature, teaching and study of American history;

WHEREAS, Sacramento City Unified School District and its partners invest in the empowerment of our young women through everyday lesson plans as well as programs such as the Women’s Leadership Academy, Girls on the Run, Queens Speak and other:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Sacramento City Unified School District Board of Education, that March is designated as “Women’s History Month.” The Superintendent is called to observe and highlight March as Women’s History Month with appropriate programs, ceremonies, and activities throughout the district.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Sacramento City Unified School District Board of Education on this 15th day of March, 2018, by the following vote:

A YES: ____
NOES: ____
ABSTAIN: ____
ABSENT: ____

ATTESTED TO:

Jorge A. Aguilar
Superintendent

Jessie Ryan
President of the Board of Education