



SACRAMENTO CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

Agenda Item 8.1j

Meeting Date: March 3, 2016

Subject: Approve Resolution No. 2873: Recognition of National School Social Worker Week, March 6-12, 2016.

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

Division: Student Support and Health Services

Recommendation: Approve Resolution No. 2873: Recognition of National School Social Worker Week, March 6-12, 2016.

Background/Rationale: National School Social Worker Week, March 6-12, 2016 is a time to honor the essential role school social workers play in student success. The Sacramento City Unified School District celebrates school social workers who establish relationships between schools, families and communities and help to remove barriers to positive outcomes in schools.

Financial Considerations: N/A

LCAP Goal(s): Safe, Clean, and Healthy Schools; Family and Community Engagement

Documents Attached:

1. Resolution No. 2873

<p>Estimated Time of Presentation: N/A</p> <p>Submitted by: Victoria Flores, Director Student Support and Health Services</p> <p>Approved by: Lisa Allen, Deputy Superintendent</p>
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RESOLUTION NO. 2873

“Recognition of National School Social Work Week, March 6- 12, 2016”

WHEREAS, March 6-12, 2016 has been designated as National School Social Work Week;
and

WHEREAS, school social workers serve as vital members of a school educational team, playing a central role in creating a positive school climate and vital partnerships between the home, school, and community to ensure student academic success; and

WHEREAS, school social workers are especially skilled in providing services to students who face serious challenges to school success, including poverty, disability, discrimination, abuse, bullying, loss and other barriers to learning; and

WHEREAS, school social workers coordinate the implementation of the school and community programs that promote positive discipline, and regularly assist and train school personnel in promoting positive behaviors and preventing negative behaviors that escalate into disproportionate disciplinary outcomes and responses; and

WHEREAS, school social workers provide mental health services to address the emotional, physical, and environmental needs of students so that they may achieve behavioral and academic success; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Sacramento City Unified School District Board of Education promotes and celebrates the vital role school social workers play in helping students prepare for their futures as productive citizens and recognizes the importance of “School Social Work Week, March 6-12, 2016.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Sacramento City Unified School District Board of Education on this 3rd day of March, 2016, by the following vote:

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

Christina Pritchett
President of the Board of Education

ATTESTED TO:

José L. Banda
Secretary of the Board of Education