Fresno County Superintendent of Schools



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BEFORE THE FRESNO COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION AND THE FRESNO COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS FRESNO COUNTY, CALIFORNIA

In the Matter Regarding Adopt Resolution No. 2023-39 "Anti-Bullying Toward Sikh Americans" Month

Resolution No. 2023 - 39 (FCBE) Resolution No. 2023 - 52 (FCSS)

WHEREAS, in a research survey approximately 50% of Sikh American students are bullied at school; and

WHEREAS, the negative consequences of bullying are significant, in extreme cases leading to suicide by young victims; and

WHEREAS, FCSS recognizes that bullying in school and among school age children is a serious problem throughout the country and often has serious lasting consequences; and

WHEREAS, FCSS supports evidence based anti-bullying initiatives:

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Fresno County Board of Education and the Fresno County Superintendent of Schools do hereby recognize the observance of "Anti-bullying Toward Sikh Americans" Month to educate students on the consequences of bullying and teach victims as well as perpetrators through positive anti-bullying intervention and encourage all Fresno County School Districts to participate with appropriate activities and curriculum on this day and throughout the year.

This Resolution is adopted by the Fresno County Board of Education at its meeting of October 19, 2023

by the following votes:

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CERTIFICATION

I am the Ex-Officio Secretary and Executive Officer of the Fresno County Board of Education and hereby certify that the foregoing resolution is the full, true, and correct resolution duly passed and adopted by the Fresno County Board of Education on the date stated above.

Dr. Michele Cantwell-Copher

Fresno County Superintendent of Schools

Ex-Officio Secretary and Executive Officer of the

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