OFFICE OF EDUCATION

Yolo County Board of Education and Yolo County Superintendent of Schools

Resolution #22-23/52

In Recognition of 100 Years of Service by the United Way California Capital Region

WHEREAS, the United Way California Capital Region has dedicated the past 100 years to building stronger, healthier, more compassionate communities through local partnerships, that have generated resources and have applied them to meet critical needs of the communities serviced; and

WHEREAS, the United Way California Capital Region has served, for the past 100 years, the counties of Sacramento, Yolo, Placer, El Dorado and Amador; and

WHEREAS, United Way California Capital Region has maintained a 100-year partnership with five community-based organizations: American Red Cross, Boy Scouts of America, Sacramento Children's Home, The Salvation Army USA and YMCA; and

WHEREAS, the United Way California Capital Region has partnered with local school districts to help children and youth excel in school, strengthening schools, and investing in families, including direct partnerships with the Yolo County Office of Education, Washington Unified School District, and Woodland Joint Unified School District; and

WHEREAS, the United Way California Capital Region has dedicated its resources to improving opportunities for under-resourced children to help ensure they have the educational foundation to succeed as adults, including by delivering free books to infants for the first five years of their life, offering kindergarten readiness to children with no preschool experience, and providing literacy tutors for elementary students; and

WHEREAS, the United Way California Capital Region has also partnered with more than 150 local organizations in Yolo County, including UC Davis, Yolo County Library, Empower Yolo, the Yolo County Children's Alliance, RISE Inc., and many others; and

WHEREAS, the United Way California Capital Region, in their 100 years of existence, has raised more than \$500 million dollars and has used those funds to fight poverty in the region and help families succeed; and

WHEREAS, the continuum of services provided by United Way California Capital Region includes empowering emancipated foster youth by providing life skills, financial literacy, and economic support; bridging the digital divide by providing broadband access; and helping families meet their basic needs by funding guaranteed income payments.

NOW, THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED, that the Yolo County Board of Education and the Yolo County Superintendent of Schools does hereby recognize the contributions of the United Way California Capital Region, offers congratulations for 100 years of service, and offers best wishes for continued success in the future.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Yolo County Board of Education and the Yolo County Superintendent of Schools at a meeting held on May 9, 2023, by the following vote:

AYES: Esquivel, Moreno, Salud-Ambriz, Yip, Zendejas NOES: None ABSTAIN: None ABSENT: None

Tico Zendejas, President Yolo County Board of Education

Garth Lewis County Superintendent of Schools