



**Yolo County Board of Education and
Yolo County Superintendent of Schools**

Resolution #22-23/51

**Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer and/or Questioning, Intersex, and Asexual
and/or Ally (LGBTQIA) Pride Month - June 2023**

WHEREAS, Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer and/or Questioning, Intersex, and Asexual and/or Ally (LGBTQIA) Pride Month is currently celebrated each year in the month of June to honor the 1969 Stonewall riots in Manhattan. The Stonewall riots were a tipping point for the Gay Liberation Movement in the United States; and

WHEREAS, LGBTQIA people in the United States have made, and continue to make, vital contributions to the United States and to the world in every aspect, including in the fields of education, law, health, business, science, research, economic development, architecture, fashion, sports, government, music, film, politics, technology, literature, and civil rights; and

WHEREAS, the month of June is an opportunity to celebrate the identities and contributions of the LGBTQ community in various expressions of Pride; and

WHEREAS, all children and youth should be able to attend school in a safe and inclusive environment free from discrimination; and

WHEREAS, Board Policies 0410, 5145.3, and 5145.9 prohibit discrimination in its programs and activities based on gender or sexual orientation, among other characteristics; and

WHEREAS, we must strive to ensure that schools are consistently safe and affirming spaces for all students, staff and their families.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Yolo County Board of Education hereby declare the month of June 2021 as Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender, Queer and/or Questioning, Intersex, and Asexual and/or Ally (LGBTQIA) Pride Month.

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.

AYES: Esquivel, Moreno, Salud-Ambriz, Yip, Zendejas

NOES: None

ABSENT: None

ABSTAIN: None

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Tico Zendejas, President
Yolo County Board of Education

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Garth Lewis, Superintendent
Yolo County Office of Education