

**SILVER VALLEY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT  
RESOLUTION NO. 18-19-17**

**Recognizing April 2019 as  
PUBLIC SCHOOLS MONTH**

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**WHEREAS**, since 1920 the Free and Accepted Masons of California has sponsored and promoted the month of April as Public Schools Month to recognize how important effective public education is to the future of our nation; and

**WHEREAS**, concern for the common good and well-being of all citizens is one of the highest virtues of American democracy and generations ago our ancestors recognized the importance of this virtue by creating the public schools' system; and

**WHEREAS**, public schools are responsible not only for sound instructional programs which prepare and equip our youth to have productive lives as adults but also for instilling in our children a love of freedom and appreciation for the benefits of living in a democratic society; and

**WHEREAS**, American public schools have educated and thereby enabled the nation's youth to participate in and contribute to their own version of the American dream; and

**WHEREAS**, public schools are vital partners in training America's workforce, contributing directly to the goals, dreams, and accomplishments of this country;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Silver Valley Unified School Board of Trustees hereby recognizes *April 2019* as Public Schools Month and urges communities and educational institutions to appropriately observe the efforts of teachers, administrators, and students of the public schools' system.

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