SILVER VALLEY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT RESOLUTION NO. 19-20-13

Recognizing March 2020 as YOUTH ART MONTH

WHEREAS, Art education contributes powerful educational benefits to all elementary, middle and secondary students including the following:

- Art education develops students' creative problem-solving and critical thinking abilities;
- Art education teaches sensitivity to beauty, order, and other expressive qualities;
- Art education gives students a deeper understanding of multi-cultural values and beliefs;
- Art education reinforces and brings to life what students learn in other subjects; and
- Art education interrelates student learning in art production, art history, art criticism, and aesthetics, and

WHEREAS our national leaders have acknowledged the necessity of including arts experiences in all students' education,

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that support should be given to art teachers as they attempt to strengthen art education in their schools and communities. All citizens are urged to take interest in and give full support to quality school art programs for children and youth.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Silver Valley Unified School District Board of Trustees, proclaim March 2020 as **YOUTH ART MONTH**.

Karen Gray, President Mark Staggs, Vice President Heather Rae Reid, Board Clerk Brian Boatwright, Member

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Lynn McKee, Member

Board Meeting Date: 2/11/2020