

RESOLUTION #20/21-03  
OBSERVANCE OF CONSTITUTION DAY

WHEREAS, students need to understand the basic principles of democracy; and,

WHEREAS, the United States Constitution, signed by our founding fathers on September 17, 1787, changed the course of human events and helped shape the United States; and,

WHEREAS, studies and activities pertaining to Constitution Day will help students gain a better understanding of the principles of the Constitution that created our democratic form of government; and,

WHEREAS, pursuant to legislation passed by Congress and signed by President George W. Bush in December of 2004, educational institutions receiving Federal funding are required to hold an educational program pertinent to the United States Constitution on September 17<sup>th</sup> of each year (or the first school day preceding or following September 17<sup>th</sup>); and,

WHEREAS, current state law (Education Code 37221) requires California districts to conduct commemorative exercises on Constitution Day; and,

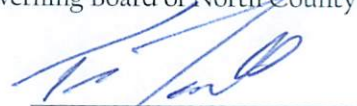
WHEREAS, North County Joint Union School District joins the national effort to ensure the understanding of the United States' Constitutional heritage,

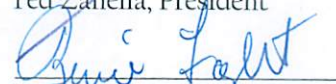
NOW, THEREFORE BE IT KNOWN that North County Joint Union School District does hereby recognize September 17, 2020 as "United States Constitution Day" and encourages all school districts to participate with appropriate activities and curriculum.

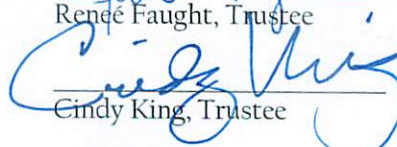
ADOPTED this 10<sup>th</sup> day of September 2020, by the Governing Board of North County Joint Union School District, by the following vote:

AYES: 4


ABSENT: 1  
NOES: 0

  
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Ted Zanella, President

  
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Renee Faught, Trustee

  
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Cindy King, Trustee

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Stan Pura, Trustee

  
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Frank O'Connell, Trustee