

**SWEETWATER UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**RESOLUTION NO. 4747**

**RESOLUTION DESIGNATING )  
THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER )  
2021, AS NATIONAL NATIVE )  
AMERICAN HERITAGE MONTH )**

ON THE MOTION OF Member \_\_\_\_\_, seconded by Member \_\_\_\_\_, the following resolution is adopted:

WHEREAS, this country was home to generations of native peoples long before the arrival of European explorers, and each of these tribes has a unique and vibrant culture as well as a system of social order; and

WHEREAS, the European settlers were aided in their survival by the teachings of this country's first inhabitants, and the contributions of the Native American to this nation's government, history, and culture are as numerous and varied as the tribes themselves; and

WHEREAS, every tribe has celebrated heroes of their own in sports, the arts, film, literature, engineering, medicine, education, and environmental science; and

WHEREAS, the American culture has been greatly influenced by traditions of native peoples and their close relationship to the earth and all its inhabitants; and

WHEREAS, the California State Board of Education recognized in its Multicultural Education Policy that each student needs an opportunity to understand the common humanity underlying all people; and

WHEREAS, the *History-Social Science Framework for California Public Schools, Kindergarten Through Grade Twelve*, states that the history curriculum of community, state, region, nation, and world must reflect the experiences of men and women of different racial, religious, and ethnic groups, which is integrated at every level; and

WHEREAS, educational leaders throughout the state are urged to involve themselves and their schools in a statewide focus on improvement in education about National Native American Heritage and to create ways in which communities can participate in helping California's schools meet the national goals set forth by the *White House Conference on Indian Education*.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of the Sweetwater Union High School District proclaims the month of November 2021, as National Native American Heritage Month, and encourages all educators to commemorate this occasion with appropriate instructional activities.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Board of Trustees of the Sweetwater Union High School District, County of San Diego, State of California, this 11th day of October, 2021, by the following vote:

Resolution No. 4747  
October 11, 2021  
Page 2

AYES:  
NOES:  
ABSTAIN:  
ABSENT:

\*\*\*\*\*

State of California            )  
                                      )  
County of San Diego         )    SS

I, Nicholas Segura, President of the Board of Trustees of the Sweetwater Union High School District, County of San Diego, State of California, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of a resolution adopted by said board at a regular meeting thereof, at the time and by the vote therein stated, which original resolution is on file in the office of said board.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Nicholas Segura, President

October 11, 2021  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Arturo Solis, Vice President

\_\_\_\_\_  
Adrian Arancibia, Member

\_\_\_\_\_  
Paula Hall, Member

\_\_\_\_\_  
Frank A. Tarantino, Member